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THE LATEST NEWS.

Condensed Telegrams from All Quarters.

—The manufacturing companies of Manchester, N. H., which have been running on short time, began on full time on Monday.

—The President has appointed Robt. W. Lampton Postmaster at Ashland, Ky., and William P. Walsh Postmaster at Garland, Ark.

At Williamsport, Pa., Barney McCue was convicted of the murder of John Decter on the 25th of October last, at Muncy Dam.

—Governor Chamberlain, of South Carolina, was inaugurated at Columbia on Tuesday. There was a great crowd present.

—At Omaha, on Monday night, Mrs. Jno. B. Poissant committed suicide during an attack of temporary insanity by throwing herself in a well.

—The working time has been reduced to eight hours in the Union Pacific shops at Omaha and North Platte. The men are paid by the hour.

—Nearly five hundred cars of east-bound freight and over five hundred cars of west-bound freight passed over the bridge at Omaha last week.

—The family of the late Mayor Havemeyer, of New York, have consented to a funeral with official honors, which will take place on Saturday next.

—A. C. Ferber, Chief of Police of Scranton, and Jacob Ferber and J. H. Schlager have been arrested on a charge of the murder of Michael Kearney in Scranton on the 14th ult.

—The champion silver cup, valued at six hundred dollars, won by Albert Garnier at a billiard match about a year ago, was stolen from his saloon in New York on Tuesday.

—Robert J. Johnson, formerly employed by the American Express Company, was found dead in a stable in Indianapolis, on Tuesday, where it is supposed he went to sleep while intoxicated.

—Considerable interest is already manifested throughout Nebraska about the removal of the State Capitol from Lincoln. There is no doubt but a strong movement will be made to effect it.

—The Concord (N. H.) Savings Bank has suspended, after paying out $600,000 to depositors, who have been making a heavy run on the bank for some weeks. The trustees have petitioned the Superior Court to appraise the value of the remaining securities in the bank, to determine the losses of unsatisfied depositors.

—A dispatch from Huntington, W. Va., says sixty-six employes of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad have struck for wages earned in the past four months. No trains went out from Huntington on Tuesday except an engine with a mail car. The strikers declare that no freight or passengers shall move until their claims are liquidated.

—James S. Allen, an employe of Spruance & Preston, a prominent grain commission firm of Chicago, was arrested and held to bail on Tuesday, on a charge of attempting to bribe a grain inspector and pass new corn as old. Allen declares his innocence, and his employers believe him to be so, and that the consignee of the corn is the guilty party.

—A meeting of the New Hampshire Republican State Committee was held in Concord on Tuesday evening. It was decided to fix the Republican Convention at a later date than the Democratic, thus reversing the order of things. The State Convention for nominating a Governor and Railroad Commissioners will be held in Concord on the 12th of January.

—In the Circuit Court of Cook county, Illinois, on Tuesday, Judge Williams rendered a decision in the case of Hugh Maher against Charles B. Farwell and others, in which the plaintiff sued for the redemption of certain land which he alleges was conveyed to Farwell in 1860 to secure a gambling debt. The decision of Judge Williams, though only on the question of the admission of two amendments to the complaints in the bill, is virtually a decision of the case so far as this Court is concerned, and is so far a complete vindication of Farwell from the case attempted to be made against him.

UTAH

Miners Opposing the Extension of a Railroad.

SALT LAKE, December 1.—The Bingham Canon Railroad Company have been meeting with serious opposition to the extension of their road from miners, who object to their company crossing their claims on the way up the canon. For some time the resistence was confined to rolling rocks down on the workmen grading for the road. Several persons were arrested for this offense. Some days ago a miner, whose claim they were crossing, stampeded the manager and all the railroad employes with a Henry rifle, he having fired several shots at them. He was arrested and placed under bonds. Other parties have also engaged in the shooting, and on Saturday the Vice President and all the employes of the railroad company were arrested on a complaint of miners before a justice of the peace for illegally taking possession of mining property. As four indictments were found to-day for assault with intent to kill, it is thought some of the principal parties will soon be arrested. If this is not done there is a general war threatened between the miners and railroad employes.

MASONIC.

Conclave of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar.

NEW ORLEANS, December 1.—The nineteenth annual conclave of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States was begun to-day. The proceedings were opened by a large and brilliant procession escorting the officers of the Grand Encampment from their quarters at the St. Charles Hotel through the principal streets to the Masonic Hall, where an eloquent address of welcome was delivered by M. W. Michael E. Girard, Grand Master of Masons in Louisiana, and a fitting response was made in behalf of the Grand Encampment by V. E. Sir James H. Hopkins, Deputy Grand Commander. The triennial conclave was then formally opened, and upon examination of the credentials it was found that every State subordinate is fully represented. The Grand Master, M. E. Sir John Q. A. Fellows, of Louisiana, then delivered his official message, covering his transactions for the past three years, a lengthy document of great interest to the order.

A recess was then taken until to-morrow.

PHILADELPHIA.

Meeting of Creditors of Jay Cooke & Co.

PHILADELPHIA, December 1.—The first meeting of creditors of Jay Cooke & Co. was held to-day, when the report of the trustees was submitted. The committee have deemed it proper to make the order for a dividend and distribution made on the 8th of May. $491,915 is all that is strictly applicable at the present stage of proceedings for cash dividends. The precise amount of claims against the estate cannot be definitely ascertained until the determination of the exceptions that have been taken to several of the large claims. Mr. Bullitt said if the claims preferred against individual members of the firm are proven, there will hardly be anything left for the creditors of the firm. During the conference between the committee and creditors the best of order prevailed. These meetings will be held daily.

STATE BREVITIES.

TAMAQUA wants a skating park.

POTTSVILLE'S lecture course was a pecuniary failure.

MARTHA WASHINGTON tea parties are the rage all over the State.

"PADDYTOWN" is what they call a new village in Somerset county.

THE Sheriff of Cambria county gave his prisoners a splendid dinner on Thanksgiving day.

A SON of General Meade is employed as a clerk in one of the offices of the Pennsylvania Railroad at Altoona.

THE "Altoona Base Ball Club" claims to have won more match games during the past season than any rival club in the city. Out of a series of twenty-four games played they lost but one, when pitted against the Mountain City Club.

THE Lewisburg *Journal* says Union Furnace, in Union county, erected in 1853, and put in blast in 1854, has not been out of blast except for repairs since it was built, and is still running. It has turned out over 85,000 tons of iron.

IT is rumored that after December 1st the shipment of coal from the Lehigh mines will cease for some months. This action on the part of the railroad and canal companies will indeed make a hard winter for the poor.—*Easton Express.*

FIRST EDITION.

FOREIGN.

Buffet Elected President of the French Assembly.

Troubles in the Cabinet Over MacMahon's Message.

A Severe Battle Fought in the Argentine States.

Late News from China and Japan.

A Chinese Contractor Sentenced to Decapitation for Swindling.

FRANCE.

President of the Assembly.

VERSAILLES, December 1.—The National Assembly to-day re-elected Buffet President by a vote of 348 to 3 scattering. The Left remained neutral, and did not vote. Martel, of the Left Centre, and Kerdrel and Bensist d' Azy, of the Right, were elected Vice Presidents.

Differences Over the President's Message.

PARIS, December 1.—The *Journal de Paris* and *Presse* report serious differences in the cabinet over the message of President MacMahon to the Assembly. A Council of Ministers was held this morning, when different views were pressed, and there was agitated discussion. The message will not be delivered to the Assembly before Thursday.

A Division in the Cabinet.

LONDON, December 2—5:30 A. M.—The *Times'* correspondent at Paris telegraphs that the last letter of the Count de Chambord has caused a division in the Cabinet. Two Legitimist ministers, in consequence of its injunctions, hesitate to support a demand for the organization of the President's powers. On account of this disagreement the terms of the Presidential message have not yet been agreed to by the Cabinet. The President will accept the resignation of the dissenting ministers if they remain firm in their refusal.

SOUTH AMERICA.

The Revolution.

RIO JANEIRO, December 1.—Advices from Buenos Ayres report that a battle was fought on the 25th ult. near Lavedere. The engagement was a severe one, lasting three hours, and closing without any decided result. Four hundred of the Government troops were killed and wounded. The loss of the insurgents is not known.

Col. Bolzas, of the Government army, was wounded.

The Brazilian Government is actively suppressing the disturbances in the provinces of Pernambuco and Parahiba.

MONTEVIDEO, December 1.—It is reported here that General Mitre has sent a representative to Buenos Ayres to negotiate with the Government for a cessation of hostilities.

GREAT BRITAIN.

International Law Conference.

LONDON, December 2.—A Berlin dispatch to the *Times* says Russia contemplates the reassembling next March in St. Petersburg of the International Law Conference lately held in Brussels. Exertions will probably be made to secure the consent of Great Britain and some minor States. The work of the conference will be confined to the enactment of more purely philanthropic clauses of the programme proposed by Russia. If these endeavors fail, the three northern powers may possibly settle the matter alone.

CUBA.

A Schooner Captured.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, November 25, via Havana.—A Spanish gunboat arrived in this harbor to-day with a small schooner in tow flying the British flag. The vessel was found on the coast, twenty-five miles from this port, and two miles and a half from shore. She still carries the British colors, although an armed crew from the gunboat is on board.

ITALY.

Annuity to Garibaldi.

ROME, December 1.—In the Chamber of Deputies to-day, several bills providing for the grant of an annuity to Garibaldi were read. Signor Minghetti, President of the Ministry, agreed to an early consideration of the subject, and announced that the Government would submit a bill with the same object in view.

SPAIN.

Carlists Besieging Berga.

HENDAYE, December 1.—The Carlists have laid siege to Berga.

BY MAIL.

From China and Japan.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 1.—The following news has been received by steamer:

Minister Avery left Shanghai for Peking on October 14. He arrived at Tientsin on the 18th, and resumed his journey on the 21st.

The Chinese pirate Captain who seized the ship Shark was executed in Hong Kong on October 10.

Mons. Goffary, the French Minister, is about to return home. The Count Rochechouyp will act as Charge D'Affaires.

Sir A. E. Kinnedy, Governor of Hong Kong, sailed for England on October 15. S. Grustin, Colonial Secretary, administers the Goverment during his absence.

The Chinese transport Tayak, engaged in carrying troops to Formosa, foundered at Tarwanfu in the typhoon of September 29. Sixteen lives were lost. Other transports were scattered by the same storm, and have not since been heard of.

It is reported that the celebrated Lihing Chung, Viceroy and General of the army of Chihili, will be sent to Canton to take the office of Viceroy of Kwan Tung and Kwang Ti. No reasons are announced for the proposed change, which cannot be carried out until after the Japanese crisis has passed. Meanwhile Yinghan, recently Governor of the Province of Au Why, has been temporarily appointed to the post.

Serious general complaint has been made against the United States Consul at New Change for having sentenced a pilot named Haleday, convicted of a murderous assault upon a Chinese woman, to only fourteen days' imprisonment.

The Japanese Consulate at Shanghai received high praise from American shipmasters for the prompt and satisfactory settlement of the collision case between a Japanese steamer and the ship Worcester.

The subject of supplying prostitutes for San Francisco attracts much attention in Hong Kong. Measures are under consideration for preventing further departures from that port. Several cases of girls seeking release were recently before the Courts.

A Chinese contractor was convicted of swindling by false estimates in repairing the imperial summer palace. He was sentenced to decapitation.

Prof. Watson, at the head of the American party in Peking for the observation of the transit of Venus, discovered on October 8 a new asteroid of the eleventh magnitude. A party of English astronomers arrived at Shanghai on October 10, and proceeded to Chefoo.

A Mohammedan Chinese General from the distant province of Yunnon, where he received wounds in the Imperial army during the rebellion, is now one of the lions of Peking. He fought on the side of the Buddhists and Confucuists againt his co-religionists.

Shanghai is now a port of registry.

Twelve thousand Chinese troops are now in Formosa, stationed about sixty miles from the Japanese camp.

The British residents of Chefoo have petitioned their consul to secure the presence of a ship of war at that port during the winter. They fear a rising of natives against foreigners in case of war.

Efforts to draw the Alaska from the beach have thus far failed, but hopes are still entertained that she will be dislodged.

YOKOHAMA, JAPAN, November 9.—A heavy typhoon occurred at Yezoo on October 12. Many sea coast villages were greatly injured. One was entirely destroyed. Thirty-three junks were wrecked and two hundred lives lost.

Lieut. Commander Cassell has returned to Yokohama, with his health much impaired by a sojourn in Formosa.

Orders have been issued by the Navy Department offering rewards for the discovery by Japanese ships of unknown rocks and shoals in the eastern waters.

The condition of the troops in Southern Formosa is now healthful, the dangerous season having passed. Nearly one thousand sick were brought back to Nagasaki early in October, their places being supplied from the barracks at that port. The whole Japanese force now in Formosa is about 4,000. The main bodies are held in reserve at or near Nagasaki, to which additions are continually sent. At present, however, there is no more evidence than heretofore of imminent hostilities. The preparations are unabated, and will so continue until the question is decided one way or the other.

The public expenses are reduced in various ways. The Mikado and members of the Imperial family have renounced part of their incomes. Numerous employes have requested a reduction of their salaries, and even scholars in the national academies have petitioned that the amount allowed for their education be temporarily reduced. The enthusiasm and offers of personal sacrifices are universal. Volunteers are forming throughout the empire.

There is much discussion concerning the displacement of the director and other English employes of the mint at Csaka. The British community and newspapers of Yokohama complain bitterly, as actual wrong had been done them, and proclaim that the national coinage will become valueless with the mint taken away from the British management. The matter is a serious one for the Japanese Government, and is totally misrepresented here. Some time since a contract was made with the Oriental Bank corporation to superintend the establishment of the mint. This contract expires early in 1875, but the incorporation has claimed the right to make future engagements with the officials in the mint and elsewhere. The Government denies this, finding it has already placed itself far too unreservedly in the hands of the Oriental Bank corporation, and announces that the engagements heretofore made by that body must terminate with the expiration of the general contract next February, so far as practicable. There is no intention of removing the foreign assistants from the mint, but a positive determination to get rid of the oppressive interference of the bank in Government affairs. The bank is naturally unwilling to surrender its valuable privileges, and its pretentions are strongly supported by British influences; but the Government is quite decided.

The superfluous supply of silk worm eggs had been reduced by burning numbers of cartoons, and sales are now resumed in Yokohama at extremely low rates.

The Japanese Postoffice Department has decreed a fine of one hundred and fifty dollars for wrongfully opening any letter.

The arrival of the City of Pekin was eagerly awaited in Yokohama.

The negotiations for the sale of the Pacific ship China to the Japanese Government have been suspended.

The United States Minister's relations with the Japanese Government are perfectly harmonious, but his representations in regard to the military registration of servants in his service and in the employment of Mr. Wassonhare have been passed unheeded.

The British Minister has notified the English employes in the naval service of Japan that in case of war they must resign their positions. They, in return, have notified the Government that in such event they will claim payment for the unexpired balance of their contracts, which demand will be rejected as preposterous.

A party of American astronomers is already located near Nagasaki for the observation of the transit of Venus. The French party is yet undecided whether to select Nagasaki or Hiogo as their post of observation.

The impression appears to prevail in American journals that Iwakura especially directs the Government in the present crisis. This is a mistake. There are three ministerial offices near the throne, only one-third of which in rank is held by Iwakura. When he visited America and Europe the second was vacant, but this has since been filled by Shimandzu Sabaro. The first is occupied by Sargio. Iwakura, in fact, takes comparatively little part in war discussions.

It is now doubted whether the Japanese Postoffice Department can make ready for the commencement of the new postal system by the 1st of January next.

It is semi-officially announced that the French and English troops stationed at Yokohama will be sent home before the end of the year.

The foreign diplomatic corps dined by invitation at the Imperial guest house in Yeddo.

The Japanese are rapidly preparing to erect fortifications on all important points along the coast.

The boiler on the steamer on Lake Biwa bursted, and passengers and crew numbering one hundred are reported killed by the explosion or drowned.

NEW YORK.

Coroner's Inquest on Mayor Havemeyer's Body.

Henry Clews & Co. Adjudged Bankrupts.

NEW YORK, December 1, 1874.

Mass Meeting of 'Longshoremen.

The call for a mass meeting of 'longshoremen, last night, filled the great hall of Cooper Institute to overflowing. Among the audience were George Francis Train and a number of Internationalists, Communists, and other recognized agitators, a couple of whom sought to air their extreme views, but were received with but little favor. One of them was hustled out of the hall. Of the speakers previously announced to appear only Richard O'Gorman and Col. John R. Fellows addressed the audience, both expressing sympathy with the troubles of the laboring classes, but cautioning them against placing themselves before public opinion as disturbers of the peace and violators of the law.

Insurance in Chicago.

The Executive Committee of the National Board of underwriters to-day adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That in view of the report of the committee appointed to visit Chicago, and of the improvements already made and those now in progress, and of assurances given said committee by the authorities of Chicago that the recommendations of General Shaler in regard to the fire department will be carried out at the earliest practical date, the companies belonging to the National Board will be advised that the question of reopening business in Chicago is referred to the several companies, to take such action as they may individually deem wise and prudent in view of the information presented by the report of said committee.

The Injunction Against Erie.

The Erie Directors say the object of the injunction granted by Judge Westbrook yesterday was obviously to affect stock by causing a protest of the interest due to-day in London, but as the payment of this interest was provided for a month ago, and there is no means of stopping the payment in London within the time, the movement will fail. The Directors say also that the move is only another effort of Jay Gould to prevent the payment of sums for which the company is suing him.

The injunction served last evening on the Erie Railway Company against paying certain maturing interest here and in London was to-day dissolved by Judge Westbrook, in so far as the injunction applied to any payments to be made to-day. President Jewett, in his affidavit, says: The affairs of the Erie Company are being administered by himself and his board of directors for the best advantage of the company, and strictly according to law, as they are advised.

Changes Caused by Mayor Havemeyer's Death.

The death of Mayor Havemeyer and the succession of Alderman Vance to the Mayoralty removes the strongest opposition to the proposed $1,000,000 appropriation to the completion of the New York and Brooklyn bridge, and leaves Controller Green in the minority in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Presidency of the Board of Aldermen, vacated by Alderman Vance, will probably be filled by Alderman Richard Flanagin. A Democratic city budget, which remains to be definitely fixed, will probably accord with the views of the Board of Aldermen.

Henry Clews & Co. Adjudged Bankrupts.

In the United States Court to-day, before Judge Blatchford, Henry Clews & Co., having failed to answer in the bankrupt proceedings, were adjudicated bankrupts on the petition of Arthur Cooper, trustee of their London firm, and fifteen creditors in this country, who state that they represent one-quarter the number and one-third in amount of the creditors.

Rev. Dr. Talmadge Sued for Slander.

Proceedings have been instituted against Rev. Dr. Talmadge, of Brooklyn, by B. C. Mitchell, on a charge of slander. Mitchell was for a number of years a prominent member of Talmadge's church, and was expelled on the testimony of the pastor, who charged him with conduct unbecoming a Christian. The damages are laid at $5,000.

Coroner's Inquest on Mayor Havemeyer's Body.

The Coroner held an inquest this afternoon over the remains of the late Mayor Havemeyer, and the jury gave a verdict that he died of heart disease. The funeral takes place Saturday. The several departments of the City Government to-day adopted the usual resolutions.

Death from a Stray Shot.

Thomas Mara, who was wounded by a stray shot on election day, while a spectator of the fracas in which Coroner Croaker killed McKenna, died last night in Bellevue Hospital.

INDIANA.

A Wife Murderer Arrested.

INDIANAPOLIS, December 1.—Geo. Martin, the man who murdered his wife at Cloverdale day before yesterday, was brought to Greencastle on the five o'clock train this evening, and is now in jail. There is no excitement, and no probability that any attempt will be made at lynching. Martin is an ordinary-looking man, rather medium size, and does not appear capable of doing such a deed. He is said to be feigning insanity, and told several persons before being arrested that he had killed a man by the name of Akers, who, he said, had been playing cards with him, and they got into trouble, and Akers tried to stab him. It seems Martin and his wife were visiting one Riley Stanton, at whose house the deed was committed. Stanton, upon hearing the shot, interfered to prevent further shooting; when Martin tried to stab him, but did not injure him seriously. The woman was sitting in a rocking chair with her babe, aged about eight months, in her arms. He had given her ten minutes to retract something she had said a few days before. At the expiration of the time he placed a revolver to her head and fired, killing her instantly. He had been drinking quite hard lately, and was under the influence of liquor at the time.

SECOND EDITION

FROM WASHINGTON.

Public Debt Statement.

Reduction During November $123,427.

Newspaper Postage Under the New Law.

Interesting Decision to Steamboat Owners and Railroad Companies.

WASHINGTON, December 1, 1874.

The Public Debt.

The following is a synopsis of the public debt statement for the month ending November 30:

Six per cent. bonds	$1,167,274,700
Five per cent. bonds	552,525,200
Total coin bonds	$1,719,799,900
Lawful money debt	$ 14,678,000
Matured debt	18,446,030
Legal tenders	382,075,267
Certificates of deposit	47,120,000
Fractional currency	47,385,698
Coin certificates	23,045,400
Total without interest	$ 499,626,365
Total debt	$2,252,550,296
Total interest	33,251,111
CASH IN TREASURY.	
Coin	$ 83,043,762
Currency	16,699,311
Special deposits held for the redemption of certificates of deposit	47,120,000
Total in Treasury	$ 146,863,073
Debt less cash in Treasury	$2,138,938,334
Decrease during November	123,427
Decrease since June 30th, 1874	4,149,907
BONDS ISSUED TO PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANIES, INTERST PAYABLE IN LAWFUL MONEY.	
Principal outstanding	$ 64,623,512
Interest accrued and not yet paid	1,165,587
Interest paid by United States	24,325,386
Interest repaid by the transportation of mails, &c	5,510,044
Balance of interest paid by the United States	18,815,352

Crossing Navigable Streams.

The Supreme Court of the United States has decided a case of great interest to all owners of steamboats, and to railroad companies crossing navigable streams. The steamer Mollie Mohler, attempting to pass through the railroad bridge during a high wind, was carried against the piers and badly damaged. The owners sued the railroad company, and the case came up from the Circuit Court of Wisconsin. Justice Davis delivered the opinion that, if the owners of steamboats attempted to pass their steamers through a bridge, when the wind was blowing, they did so at their own risk; that steamboats must accommodate themselves to the exigencies of commerce, and that among its necessities are railroads obliged to take these means of crossing navigable streams, and navigators are bound to use all possible care and prudence in passing them.

Newspaper Postage Under the New Law.

The report of the commissioners to prepare instructions to postmasters concerning the prepayment of newspaper and periodical postage after January 1st sustains the recommendations of Third Assistant Postmaster General Barker as to the plan for carrying out the law in the most convenient and simple manner. Instead of placing stamps on separate periodicals or papers, or on packages containing them, according to weight, the forms, as already printed, show the current account with publishers, and after the printed matter is weighed, the requisite amount of stamps is posted in the form of a receipt given to the publisher or his agent at the time of mailing, the credit and receipt having a corresponding number.

King Kalakaua.

It is known here that Kalakaua, King of the Sandwich Islands, has been opposed to foreigners in those islands, and has been an enemy of the Progressional party. In connection with his arrival, the old story that he will offer a coaling station at Pearl River in exchange for a reciprocity treaty with the United States is again revived. It is certain that naval officers, at the request of the State Department, made a very careful examination of Pearl River harbor, and reported it well adapted to the purposes of a coaling and naval station. The Californians here are very anxious for a reciprocity treaty which shall permit the free entry of rice and sugar from the Sandwich Islands.

Forney Backs Out of the Sale of the "Press."

A telegram was received here on Monday from Philadelphia stating that John W. Forney has revoked his agreement to sell the Philadelphia *Press* to Alexander McClure. It is understood here that Forney's revocation is due to the fact that Geo. W. Childs and other capitalists have proffered Forney the aid necessary to relieve him of his financial embarrassments. McClure, it is stated, is already negotiating for the purchase of the *Industrial Age*, which has the Associated Press franchise, with the intention of making it an independent paper.

Justice Swayne Going to Retire.

It is understood that Justice Swayne contemplates retiring from the bench of the Supreme Court in a few months, when, under the law of Congress, he can retire on full pay. If Justice Swayne concludes to retire, this will give to General Grant another appointment in the Supreme bench, making five in all since he has occupied the Executive office.

Mr. Mullett will Retire.

Reports concerning the combinations to compel the Secretary of the Treasury to retain Mr. Mullett are altogether erroneous. The President is taking no part in the matter, but leaving it entirely with the Secretary, and the understanding between the latter and Mr. Mullett is perfect, that so soon as a successor can be selected by the Secretary, Mr. Mullett is to retire.

Cabinet Meeting.

The Cabinet was in session two hours to-day, discussing the President's message, in course of preparation. Secretary Robeson and Attorney General Williams were absent, the latter being in the Supreme Court.

WEATHER REPORT.

OFFICE OF THE OBSERVER,
UNITED STATES SIGNAL SERVICE,
PITTSBURGH, Pa., December 1, 1874.

Local Observations.

Time.	Bar.	Ther.	Humidt.	Wind.	Weather.
7 A. M.	30.38	19	84	SE	Lt. Snow.
2 P. M.	30.17	38	71	S	Cloudy.
9 P. M.	30.15	42	74	SW	Fair.

Mean Barometer, 30.21.
Mean Thermometer, 35.
Highest Thermometer, 43.
Lowest Thermometer, 13.

GEO. H. ROHE,
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Daily Bulletin.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATORY,
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 1, 1874, 10:48 P. M.

The weather at Cairo was clear, thermometer 52; Cincinnati, clear, thermometer 44; Davenport, Iowa, fair, thermometer 32; Fort Gibson, I. T., clear, thermometer 56; Indianapolis, clear, thermometer 42; Keokuk, clear, thermometer 42; La Crosse, cloudy, thermometer 35; Leavenworth, clear, thermometer 40; Louisville, clear, thermometer 48; Memphis, clear, thermometer 52; Nashville, Tenn., clear, thermometer 49; Omaha, Neb., clear, thermometer 38; Pittsburgh, foggy, thermometer 42; Shreveport, clear, thermometer 57; St. Louis, Mo., clear, thermometer 46; St. Paul, clear, thermometer 31; Vicksburg, Miss., clear, thermometer 57; Yankton, D. T., fair, thermometer 38; North Platte, clear, thermometer 44.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., 1 A. M., Dec. 2, 1874.

Probabilities for To-Day.

For the Middle States and the lake region, clear or clearing weather, slowly rising temperature, south or west winds, and falling barometer.

RICHMOND.

American Cheap Transportation Convention.

RICHMOND, December 1.—The American Cheap Transportation Convention met here at ten o'clock this morning, President Josiah Quincy, of Massachusetts, in the chair. Hon. A. M. Kirley, Mayor of Richmond, made an eloquent address of welcome, which was very happily responded to by the President. A committee on credentials was appointed, and the Convention took a recess until three o'clock this afternoon.

On reassembling F. B. Thurber, of New York, read an able report on transportation, in which he sketched the history of railroads, discussed their relations to the people, showed the evils of their construction and management, and pointed out remedies, which were in general railroad laws and the control of through lines by the General Government. He discussed the relative merits of canals and trans-continental railroads, and argued in favor of the latter. The report was referred to a committee of one from each State represented.

LEGISLATURES.

OHIO.

COLUMBUS, December 1.—Both branches of the General Assembly convened at ten o'clock this morning, pursuant to adjournment last April. In the House, seventy-one, out of one hundred and five members, answered to roll call. Bills were introduced making appropriations for all State expenses for the last quarter of 1874 and for 1875, amounting in the aggregate to $1,274,546. A bill was introduced providing for the appointment of three persons as a commission to assist in disposing of the business now on the Supreme Court dockets.

In the Senate twenty-eight members answered at the roll call.

The annual message of Governor Allen was then read in each house. The Governor suggested that among other wise and salutary provisions of the State Constitution, he deems as specially important, at this time, the provision that makes it not discretionary, but imperative, upon the General Assembly to establish a sinking fund for the gradual but certain ultimate payment of the State debt. The local indebtedness of the State on the 1st day of September, 1874, was as follows: Debts of counties, $3,482,575.62; debts of townships, including debts created by the Board of Education other than for separate school districts, $329,339.08; debts of cities, first and second class, $15,889,112.83; debts of incorporated villages, $884,355.18, debts of school districts, special, $1,290,624.65; total, $21,886,007.36. Meigs county has not reported the amount of the reimbursable debt, therefore, it is State, $7,988,205.30; local, $21,886,007.36; total, $29,874,212.66; irreducible debt, $4,122,991.86; aggregate debts in Ohio, State, local and trust funds, $33,997,204.52. The taxes levied in 1873 and collectable in 1874, aggregated $26,474,459; taxes levied in 1874 and collectable in 1875, aggregate $27,614,729. The taxable valuations in Ohio, as shown by the grand duplicate of 1874, are, Real estate in cities, towns and villages, $354,849,199; real estate not in cities, towns or villages, $697,408,537; personal property, $528,121,588; total, $1,580,379,324, which is an increase over the grand duplicate of 1873 of $13,104,685.

On the subject of railroads, the Governor says: "Railroads are not only of great utility, but have become a necessity to the country. They should not be hampered by vindictive and vexatious legislation, but as the servants of the people, enjoying peculiar franchises, they should be held strictly amenable to judicious legislation, that will prevent them from becoming the masters of the people. Their rights should be fully protected by law, and the rights of the people should be protected against such encroachments as tend to make them the victims of monopoly."

In the House this afternoon a resolution was adopted for the appointment of joint committees to prepare amendments to the Constitution. A resolution was offered to provide for the election of all State, county and township officers on the second Tuesday succeeding the first Monday in November; also to authorize the election of township trustees for three years, which was laid on the table. A resolution was also offered and laid on the table asking Congress to fix the salary of the President of the United States at $25,000. A bill was introduced to amend the Adair law so that ten days' notice must be given to saloon keepers before they shall become responsible, and requiring suits at law against them to be made separately.

NORTH CAROLINA.

RALEIGH, N. C., December 1.—in the State Senate to-day, a bill was introduced for the adjustment of the public debt of the State. It provides for the issuing of new bonds, payable at the expiration of thirty years, and bearing six per cent. interest, to be exchanged for old bonds at the rate of twenty-five cents on the dollar for bonds issued since the war, but under acts of the Legislature adopted before the war, sixteen and two-third cents on the dollar for bonds issued during the war for internal improvements, twelve and one-half cents on the dollar for bonds issued for funding the interest on the public debt of the State under the acts of the Legislature of 1867-68, and ten cents on the dollar for bonds issued since the war under the ordinance of the Convention and several acts of the Legislature, not to include special tax bonds. The bill was referred and ordered printed.

Anthracite Coal Trade.

The total of anthracite marketed for the week ending on the 21st inst. amounted to 440,368 tons, and for the coal year 17,248,132 tons, against 18,097,371 tons to corresponding time last year, being a decrease of 849,219 tons. The bituminous tonnage for the week is 64,860 tons, and for the year 2,980,543 tons, against 3,033,292 tons to same time last year, giving a total for the year of 26,219,675 tons, against 21,140,663 tons to the same time last year, being a decrease of 910,988 tons. At Port Richmond for the week ending the 28th inst. the receipts of coal were 54,000 tons, the shipments 51,000 tons, leaving 155,000 tons on hand. The coal and coke tonnage of the Pennsylvania Railroad last week was 97,546 tons, and for the year 2,952,240. Of anthracite and bituminous there were 3,020,540 tons, and of coke 432,694 tons. This includes the tonnage of coal both east and west. Vessels during the past week have been in fair supply, with freights ruling steady at $1.35@1.45 to Providence, $1.60@1.70 to Boston, and 95 cents to New York. The chief interest of the coal trade now centres in the question of the continuance of the united action of the leading carrying companies on a basis similar to that in operation for 1874. There are some intimations that one or more of the companies now in the combination will not work in full harmony with the majority. The fact that the Pennsylvania Coal Company, one of the leading carrying companies, has announced a redution of rates for December, is pointed to as evidence of want of full accord.—*Phila. Ledger.*

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PITTSBURGH, November 6, 1874.

☞ NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—Notice is hereby given that the Stock Transfer Books of this Company will be closed on the 16th inst., and remain closed until after the annual meeting for the election of a Board of Directors, to be held on MONDAY, December 7th, proximo.
J. B. WASHINGTON,
no7:j65-TTHS Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR OF GAS AND GAS METERS,
FOR ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

☞ DESIRING THAT THE PUBLIC should more generally avail themselves of the advantages of this office, I would give notice to persons desiring to have their meters tested to leave their orders at the offices of their respective Gas Companies, or at my office, corner of Twenty-third and Smallman streets, and they will receive prompt attention.
R. H. SMITH, Inspector.

DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE OF MONONGAHELA INSURANCE CO.,
N. E. Cor. of Wood St. and 4th avenue,
PITTSBURGH, November 24, 1874.

☞ DIVIDEND.—THE PRESIDENT and Directors of this Company have this day declared a Dividend of TWO DOLLARS PER SHARE on the Capital Stock of the Company, out of the earnings of the last six months, to be applied to stock due bills.
JOHN H. CLANEY,
no25:j10 Secretary.

MEETINGS.

PITTSBURGH & CONNELLSVILLE R. R. CO.
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☞ NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the Charter and By-Laws of this Company, the annual meeting of the Stockholders for the election of a Board of Directors to serve the ensuing year, will be held at their office in the City of Pittsburgh, on the FIRST MONDAY, 7th day of December, prox., at 12 o'clock M.
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GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 111⅜.

THE public debt reduction for November was $123,427.68.

ARCHBISHOP MANNING seems determined to play the *role* of chief vindicator of the dogma of Infallibility. His order that all Catholics shall accept the dogma, if they wish to be considered Catholics, draws the lines very closely. This rigid course will be very apt to give impetus to an Old Catholic movement in England.

THE negroes of Alabama and Georgia seriously propose to emigrate to Texas *en masse* if the Democracy attempt to give effect to the proposition to sell their time, or practically enslave them. So serious is this movement that even Democratic journals begin to exhibit alarm lest the States mentioned be left without laborers.

THE Ohio Legislature met yesterday, a month in advance of the usual time, the idea being that they would need to thus meet, on account of the new Constitution. Thus they adjourned the last session to meet at this time; but the Constitution was defeated, and the early meeting was really unnecessary. Governor Allen sent in his annual message, presenting a very favorable showing as to the finances of the State.

JUDGE PAXSON secured the priority of commission, under the curious provision of our State Constitution, which requires the two Judges elected to cast lots for priority of commission. The advantage of the good fortune of the Judge is, that if he lives he will be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, during the closing seven years of his term. But the method of determining it, while scriptural, is rather novel, as applied to these days.

THE subject of an Industrial Exposition, having in view a Polytechnic Institute, advertised in yesterday's GAZETTE, will be revived at a meeting to be held at the Germania Bank, at half-past two o'clock this afternoon. Our judgment is that this is one of the most hopeful movements looking to the end proposed that we have yet seen. The signatures obtained represent the best element in our city, and had the effort been made the list could have been largely increased. However, all are invited to be present this afternoon at the meeting, and it is hoped and believed that the movement can be put on a sound, substantial basis. All the details of the plan will be explained, and it is aimed to interest the entire community. The importance of establishing an Institute for instruction in the mechanic arts, as well as of holding an Exposition of Pittsburgh industry and mechanical skill, has long been felt. Various movements to this end have been made, and for various reasons abandoned. It is proposed this time to quietly organize and go steadily forward, in the belief that this is the better method, and in the confidence that Spring will develop renewed activity in business, and thus lead to the complete development of the enterprise at an early day.

IT IS, in one view, amusing to hear just at this time of the gracious things Spain is about to do, to settle the "Virginius" case with us. For years past, just as Congress was about to meet, and the President busily engaged in writing his message, we have assurances of distinguished consideration from Spain. Thus the angular parts of the message are smoothed and rounded, our relations in Spain declared to be peaceful, and diplomatic difficulties in process of peaceful solution. A point is thus gained. This superabundant activity eases off a little as soon as the message is delivered, and only freshens up when a committee proposes that Congress shall act. This quieted and all is quiet at Madrid once more. We doubt which is the more grateful when Congress adjourns, the American people, or the Madrid Government. American affairs are then summarily dismissed, our Minister politely played with or curtly snubbed, just as may happen to suit, and so the time passes, till the session of Congress again draws near, when the farce is re-enacted. We recognize our old familiar friend, in the assurance that our case shall be promptly considered. Thus it goes,—a shrewd fourth rate power, with the prestige of age upon it, amuses itself by dallying with a Government like ours.

THE Departmental reports, accompanying the President's Message, are already fully prepared, and as we have not space to publish any of them in full, we anticipate such as we find, in substance. The following is a synopsis of the Postmaster General's report: He states that the expenditures of the Postoffice Department, for the last fiscal year, were $32,126,414, and the receipts $24,596,568, showing a deficiency of seven and a half millions. For the next fiscal year he estimates expenditures $36,964,034, and revenues $29,148,156, a deficit of $7,815,878. He says the foreign mail service is conducted better than ever before; that the money-order business has increased thirty per cent., and that the new postal law for newspapers, which goes into effect New Year's day, although it reduces rates, will materially increase the revenues by preventing evasions of postage on this class of mail matter. He is strongly opposed to having the Department go outside of its legitimate functions, and, by inference, may be regarded as opposing the proposed postal telegraph. He is also very anxious to reduce the annual deficit of the Department, which has to be made up from general taxation, and promises various reforms which he hopes will have this result. The magnitude of our postoffice system is shown by the fact that at the beginning of the present fiscal year there were 34,294 postoffices in the United States, and that it costs over ten millions a year for the transportation of the mails.

FLORIDA is the land of wonders, despite its wild morasses, its alligators, and its sterility in places. A recent and remarkable event there has raised the question, does Ponce de Lewis' fountain of growth really exist? The circumstances, as brought out in a triple trial, are these: During the war, Fred. Halsemann, an old planter of Hillsboro county, fled at the approach of the Federal fleet, with his wife and child of five years. The wife got separated from the husband and child and wandered back home. Three years later, a man of about thirty, apparently, and a boy of five, came up to the house and joyfully greeted the lady, but were beaten and driven away. In the scuffle, however, a picture of the lady fell from the man's pocket, and he explained that he was her husband, but that in his wanderings he had fallen into a spring, and was at once changed from an old man to one of apparently thirty. He plunged his son in, but it merely seemed to check his growth. After a few days the man reappeared, and reported that the child had died of fright and because of the beating he had received. Suit was at once instituted by the man for the recovery of his property," and three trials were had, the jury disagreeing each time. He rested his claim on his intimate knowledge of the history of the family, on the likeness of the child to the one taken away, and on his ability to point out the spring. He failed in the last item,—not remarkably, as few could surely locate points in a Florida wilderness. At the late election, the man was shot, thus ending the contest.

THE TRANSIT OF VENUS.

In 1769, the planet Venus last made its transit of the Sun, and the event was observed by the aid of such astronomical instruments as were then possessed by the scientific world. It was far less complete than was desired, but this was because of the comparatively small progress then made in the science of astronomy, and particularly the means of perfect and accurate observation. On the 8th of December, Tuesday next, more than a hundred years since the event above noted, this planet will again pass between the earth and the Sun, and elaborate preparations are being made to observe the event. Among its advantages will be the more accurate measurement of the distance of the Sun from the earth, as well as that of the planetary bodies. Next to Mercury, Venus is nearest of the planets to the Sun, being distant about sixty-six millions miles, and making a circuit around it in a trifle less than two hundred and twenty-five days, or at the rate of 77,200 miles per hour. Observations, in this country, of the transit, will be made on the California coast, and will occupy several hours. It is regarded as an event of rare importance. For the past six months, the literary and scientific periodicals have teemed with articles on it, and the newspapers have been in constant receipt of letters and telegrams from the formidable army of scientists scattered over the four quarters of the globe, giving details of the gigantic enterprise and exhaustive labor in fitting out expeditions preparatory to a successful observance of it. The Russian Government has sent out twenty-seven expeditions; France, Germany and England ten or twelve each, and the United States Government has appropriated $150,000 for the purpose and placed vessels of the navy at the disposal of eight separate expeditionary parties.

The first object in these careful observations, which are being prepared for with so much care and expense, is to measure, accurately, the distance to the sun. This done, and the planets and fixed stars can be accurately measured, as to distance. It is said that an error of 1,000 miles as to the distance of the sun, would make a difference of 200,000,000 miles in the measurement of space to the fixed stars. This accurate measurement will also be of advantage to the science of navigation, and of optics, and in various ways add to the scope of astronomical knowledge. The more accurate knowledge of distances we have had for a century, is attributable to what observations were made at the last transit. Dr. Halley, in 1677, sailed to St. Helena to map the star clusters visible there, and while thus engaged, saw the planet Mercury creeping across the disc of the sun. Out of his observations and suggestions grew the several expeditions which in 1761 were made to view the transit of Venus. For many reasons, a portion of these were valueless. There was one feature in this transit, however, that was very remarkable. "Just as Venus emerged from the trackless space of darkness toward the edge of the sun, and while she was yet within about two-thirds of her diameter from his rim, a black, invisible band seemed to crawl between, flattening the edges of both. For a while the rims of both bodies trembled and struggled, then there was a pause in the planet's motion, when all at once it was found that Venus had convulsively rushed in to a considerable distance on the sun's disc. This same appearance was witnessed at all the stations, and the observers failed to signal the exact instant of the time at which the contact took place, a knowledge of which instant, as we shall see, is of paramount importance in calculating the sun's distance. An error of twenty seconds of time in noting this moment would cause a grave one in the solar distance, and yet the observers generally declared that it was impossible for them to avoid a liability to such a deviation from accuracy."

Notwithstanding the improvements made in instruments, and the care taken, precisely the same difficulty, in every particular, occurred in 1769. The same confusing band appeared, and the same lack of accuracy occurred. Thus the subject has been referred to the astronomers of this period. The importance of the observations to be made next Tuesday, as regards accuracy of measurements, may be seen, when we state that owing to the confusion attending the last observation, the distance of the earth from the sun is variously estimated at from 88,000,000 to 108,000,000 miles. This, of course, destroys all thoughts of accuracy. Other systems of measurement that do not need to be detailed here, have led astronomers to agree that the earth is distant from the sun about 91,500,000 miles; but this is merely approximate.

The only perplexing question among astronomers is, will the blurred appearance that prevented the accurate noting of the moment when the transit began, each of the two preceding times when observations were made, occur again. If not, there is not the slightest difficulty in securing accurate observations; but if it should occur they are forewarned, and should not be seriously interfered with. So far as the quality of instruemnts will remedy the trouble, full preparation has been made. But there is another difficulty, "There is an atmosphere of great density enveloping the planet Venus, through which the sun's rays, in racing toward the earth will undergo refraction, or bending, similar to that which takes place in our own terrestrial air and which sometimes is made manifest in the beautiful mirage, or the enchanting views of the *Fata Morgana*. Besides this bending of the solar beams in traversing the airy fields of Venus, there is the parallel phenomenon of an intervening blur between two globes at different distances from the eye during the passage of one between the observer and the other."

Thus the most painstaking care will be taken to ascertain, with perfect accuracy, the time when the transit begins and ends. In eight years an opportunity will be had to test the correctness of the observations to be made on Tuesday next. After that, one hundred and twenty-two years will expire, before another transit occurs. The two observations that will be made, one on Tuesday next, and the other eight years hence, serve to verify each other, and on their absolute accuracy must science depend for one and a quarter century, for its further progress in certain astronomical details. The great improvements that have been made of late years in scientific apparatus, will go far toward securing the accuracy so much desired. The photograph instrument will be employed to determine the contacts, and the electric battery to ascertain the longitudes of the stations. The spectroscope will also be used, and will be of special advantage, as against the blur that may occur at the moment of contact. "It is known that the gaseous envelope of the sun prints upon the spectrum, lines different from those presented by the sun itself. When Venus is about to graze the sun's edge before the first contactthe light from this envelope makes an impression on the spectrum in a manner analogous to the photographing process. But the moment Venus touches the rim of the sun proper she shuts off a portion of the light from this envelope. The spectroscope is so arranged that no light from the enveloping gas, except that from the small patch thereof now concealed by Venus, can enter it. The moment, then, that the said light ceases to be visible in the spectroscope is the moment when Venus must have shut it off and made her first contact with the sun." Thus we may hope, in view of forewarnings of probable difficulties, and the preparations made to meet them, for a favorable result from the observations on Tuesday next.

POLITICAL NOTES.

THE Hon. George W. Julian is spoken of as the available candidate for the United States Senator from Indiana.

SOME of the Rhode Island people are talking about President Robinson, of Brown University, to take Senator Sprague's place.

TREASURER SPINNER, on Monday morning, received the following note, inclosing one dollar: "Due to Government, one dollar. Spinner, get ready; the Democrats will come like a storm."

WOULDN'T it be well for the Democrats to postpone, for a year, their fight over the Speakership? By that time Gen. Banks may be a Republican, and some of the other aspirants for the place may be out of the way.

THE Democratic method of counting up their members in the State Legislatures and in Congress, is very ingenious. All members elect who were nominated as Independents are counted as Democrats, no matter what may have been their previous political opinions. The advantages of this plan are apparent. It reminds one of the Irish teamster who, finding a U. S. army-blanket, reasoned thus: "U for Patrick and S for McCarthy. Troth, larnin' is a fine thing; without it I might not have known me own blanket."

COL. JOHN W. FORNEY, in a letter from London, gives his interpretation of the meaning of the recent elections. He thinks the leading cause of the Republicans defeat is to be found in the adjournment of Congress without supplying more currency to the country. "The "American people," he says, "have declared that they want the means by which to live, and this can be furnished by the simple process of stopping the reduction of the public debt, increasing the circulating medium, and building our transcontinental railroads. I am writing not in the interests of any party, although I believe these will be the means of putting the Republicans in fighting trim for 1876. What I suggest cannot be safely opposed by any political organization, and must at last be adopted even by the Democrats, with all their tendencies to free and hard money. The Republicans are in an overwhelming majority in the two Houses of Congress which meet on the first Monday in December, 1874, and adjourn on the 4th of March, 1875. Let them move to the good work at once, and throw themselves upon the country, and they will be vindicated at the polls. Let them do this in defiance of protests from whatever quarter, and they will be rewarded not only by prosperity at home, but by a revival of the confidence of foreign nations, so rudely shocked by the results of that suicidal contraction, fruitful alone in bankruptcies and defalcations, and still crushing us to the earth."

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

LADIES are said to wear their street costumes trimmed with bugles because they assist them in making their calls.

CHICAGO received two hundred thousand hogs in a single week, and neglected to have the Directory man take a new census.—*St. Louis Globe.*

PROFESSOR SILLIMAN has discovered that gas was first used in London, in 1805, by an apothecary, and not by Mr. Winsor in 1807, as supposed.

THE editor of the *Galaxy* very cleverly shows how it is utterly impossible for a man to marry and live like a gentleman in New York on $1,800 a year.

IT is rumored that Joaquin Miller is about to return and have a talk with Mrs. M. At least the London papers say that he has had his hair cut very close to his head.

MISS CHARLOTTE CUSHMAN has adopted a rather novel plan for aiding "The Sheltering Arms," a charity in Philadelphia in which she is interested. For twenty-five cents she will send by mail her "autograph," the receipts to be appropriated to the institution named.

THE appeal from the order of the Brooklyn Court in the Tilton-Beecher suit, denying Beecher's application for a bill of particulars, was argued before the Court of Appeals in Albany on Tuesday by Wm. M. Evarts and the associate counsel for Beecher, and by Roger A. Pryor for Tilton. The Court took the papers.

WHILE ten men watch for chances, one man makes chances; while ten men wait for something to turn up, one turns something up; so, while ten men fail, one succeeds and is called a man of luck—the favorite of fortune. There is no luck like pluck, and fortune most favors those who are most indifferent to fortune.

THE managers of trotting tracks in the East have decided to hold their spring meetings on the following days:—Philadelphia, commencing May 25; Prospect Park, June 1; Hartford, June 8; Providence, June 15; Mystic Park, June 22, and Beacon Park, June 29. All the purses and classes to be the same at each meeting, and the entries will close on the same day.

THE most obstinate mule on record turned up the other day in Sonoma county, Cal. His owner was hauling a load of lime, when a warm rain shower set in. The lime, slaked by the rain, was soon in a high state of combustion, and the wagon caught fire. But the animal in question, which formed one of the team, stubbornly resisted all efforts to detach him from the burning wagon, and was cremated on the spot, while the unfortunate owner stood by and misapplied Scripture.

PHILADELPHIA dispatches say the failure of the sale of Forney's *Press* to Col. McClure was the result of a brisk cable correspondence between Forney and a number of Republican politicians of that city, the latter proffering liberal financial support if the paper continued as a regular party organ. The question involved was purely political, and the funds raised to purchase the *Press* will now be devoted to the purchase of the *Illustrated Age*, and making it an independent daily, the first number of which will appear January 1st.

THE servants of a family living in Providence, R. I., were alarmed the other morning by an unusual rustling sound proceeding from a box of rubbish in the cellar. The box was carried into the yard and turned upon its side, when a pair of sharp black eyes and a brown, hairy, pointed nose peered forth from within. The family cat was called upon, but refused to attack the stranger, though she had previously encountered large rats without any hesitancy. A gentleman finally advanced with a club, and after a vigorous assault dragged out a fine large woodchuck. What the creature's purpose was in coming to the city, or how it got into the house, is, of course, still a mystery.

THE great bugbear with the Western Railroads nowadays is "legal fare." Passengers have been in the habit of getting aboard trains and paying legal fare. To prevent this the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad devised a means of forcing passengers to pay full fare. It was to make them show tickets before getting aboard. At Burlington, the other day, a passenger bought a ticket and took his seat. He then passed it out of the window to a friend, who also took his seat, repeating the operation until the car was filled up. When the conductor came round there was but one ticket, and legal fares enough to keep the Supreme Court in continuous session for a century.

FOREIGN NOTES.

LONDON is crowded with sovereigns and empresses. The only Queen not there is Victoria.

NEWS is received of the illness of the Czar of Russia, and it is rumored that he is insane.

HAIR dealers who buy in the French provinces the abundant tresses of the country women pursue a traffic that is somewhat dangerous. Recently a country man, whose wife had sold her hair, caught the buyer and shaved his head.

DOORS of safes in England are now to be made sliding, instead of swinging, and so heavy that when the patient burglar is engaged in opening them, he will break his little neck. A sledge-hammer will be his only chance against that slide.

IT is not generally known that although the world has come to recognize the great English novelist as simply "Charles Dickens," his more ambitious parents, in hope of future honor, had christened him "Charles John Haxham Dickens."

THE latest thing in self-protectors is a protective armor for tiger slayers, invented by a Mr. Croom, an East Indian, of Madras. It consists of canvas dress to which bands of leather are attached, the bands being studded with sharp nails, the points projecting outward. But although the inventor believes that a tiger would be afraid of attacking a man clad in this armor, he has been afraid to try the experiment.

M. THIERS, in an interview with a representative of *La France* newspaper, said that Italian unity was irrevocable and accomplished, and if France wishes to preserve the friendship of Italy she must recognize this fact, and not adopt a clerical policy toward that country. In relation to France, Thiers said that the country was neither Bonapartist nor monarchical, but Republican, and this must be recognized by Marshal MacMahon.

ENGLAND'S marriage statistics have been analyzed to show the probabilities of marriage for women at different ages. Supposing the sum of a woman's chances of marriage to be one hundred, she exhausts between the ages of fifteen and twenty years, fourteen and a half chances. If she lives unmarried from twenty to twenty-five, fifty-two more of her chances have vanished into thin air. If she remains unmarried for five more years, she will turn thirty with only fifteen and a half chances out of her hundred left. After thirty-five she has eleven and a half chances, and at this point the statistician gave up his calculation, except that he assures us that even if a woman has lived unmarried sixty years, she still has the tenth of a chance of getting married out of the hundred with which she has supposed to have started life.

FARM, GARDEN AND HOUSEHOLD.

Feeding Farm Horses.

During a discussion on farm horses at a club in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, the following paper was read by a member: "The feeding of horses is an important point in their management. Many farmers would be great gainers by paying more attention to this matter. Some servants, when they have access to the corn bin, give the horses they have in charge too much corn. Many of them have erroneous notions that the more corn their horses get the fatter they must be, and instances are not uncommon where six bushels a week are given to a single pair. Too much corn indisposes horses for eating other provender, and occasionally subjects them to serious disease. Four bushels of good, sound oats weekly, along with a few Swedish turnips or other roots, and plenty of good straw will keep a pair of healthy farm horses in good order through winter, even though they be pretty hard wrought. If, then, such an allowance be sufficient for a pair, it is folly and waste to give them more. Hay may have to be substituted for straw, but no more corn will be necessary to sustain them, even when they have to go "their ten hours" in the busy spring season. If sound and healthy horses that are doing only fair work do not keep in good condition with these supplies, the master may inquire whether the carelessness of the groom be not to blame for it. Servants that carefully feed their horses would be a gain to many masters, even though they paid them extra wages. Some horses are nice feeders, and need to be coaxed to eat. Horses that are greedy feeders, or that swallow their corn whole should have it bruised or ground. A little chaff mixed with corn helps to make horses chew it—and well-chewed is of more importance than many think. Unless it be well ground and mixed with saliva in their mouths, it is but imperfectly digested in their stomachs, and without perfect digestion there its full benefit is not obtained. A full drink of water immediately after being fed should never be allowed to horses. When water is drunk by them the bulk of it goes directly to their large intestines, and little of it is retained in their stomachs. In passing through them, however, the water carries considerable quantities of their contents to where it lodges in the intestines. If, then, the contents of horses' stomachs are washed out of them before they are digested, they are in a manner lost, no nourishment being derived from them. Colics in horses frequently arise from this cause, and to it the appearance of corn entire among the dung is often due.

"The articles of food as well as the quality they get are also matters that demand consideration in the management of horses. Bere and barley are often given to them with profit instead of corn, and their relative value as articles of food stand in about the same proportion as their specific weights do. Damp straw or musty hay should never be given as food for horses. The former is apt to sour them, and the latter frequently affects their wind. It is affirmed by some that if their hay and straw be cut, and their corn be bruised, horses can be kept at one-fourth less cost than when these are given them whole. Every one knows the value of grass as an article of food for horses. A month of it in the early part of the season, when the grass is young and tender, is worth two when it is old and tough. Great care must be taken of horses when first put on grass—indeed, changes of food of any kind must to them be introduced with caution, as many have had to pay dearly for neglect of this. Even a change of water has, at times, been known to effect some horses, so very sensitive does their alimentary canal seem to be. A shallow watering place in a running stream should never be allowed for horses while at grass. Fatal results have often been induced by their drinking sand along with water from such a place."

Preparing Bones for Manure.

A "Subscriber" asks how he can prepare a few tons of bones, which he has accumulated, for manure. They are green, or raw bones. The way to make these bones most valuable would be to make them fine with a bone mill, and then dissolve them with sulphuric acid, fifty pounds of acid to one hundred pounds of bone. The bone would then be soluble in water, and ready to be assimilated by plants, and twenty pounds will be more effectual upon the first and second crops than one hundred pounds not so dissolved. But it may be that our correspondent is not prepared to go to the expense of reducing the bones by grinding, and then dissolving with acid. Another good way is to leach wood ashes, and then boil the bones in the lye. This will eat them up, and reduce them finer than any mill can grind them, and the potash, thus mixed with bone, will be a great addition to the value of the manure. The ashes will be worth all the cost for that purpose. You will thus save all the gelatine in the bones, as it will be saponified by the potash of the lye. We have used bone thus prepared and found it very effective upon potatoes, oats and wheat, and we have no doubt it would be quite as good for grass. Still another way, sometimes adopted, is to break up the bones with a hammer, and then placing it in a pile with horse manure in alternate layers, wetting the pile and allowing it all to ferment so strongly as to soften the bone, and thus render it more easily soluble as plant food. This last method, no doubt, is better than nothing, but is quite inferior in effect to the second plan. If reduced with acid or lye, the mixture may be dried with plaster, road dust or dry fine muck.

Ashes as Food for Cattle.

The *Live Stock Journal* has a correspondent who found his cattle given to the habit of eating wood, chewing bones, etc. They became thin in flesh, refused to eat hay, and presented a sickly appearance. He had no impression that their food lacked the constituents for making bone, and his neighbors use bone-meal, without noticing any good results whatever. At last he put about four bushels of leached ashes in his barnyard and threw out to them about a shovelful each day. They all ate with evident relish. After turning them out to pasture, he put one peck of dry ashes per week on the ground in the pasture. They ate it all, and gnawed off the grass where it had been lying. The cattle began to improve, gaining flesh and looking better than they had done for several years. He says this morbid appearance was unnoticed years ago, from the fact that the ground was new and ashy from the burning of the woods and land clearings. Since this discovery he gives one quart of ashes mixed with one quart of salt to twelve head of cattle about once a week.

How to Preserve Eggs.

The *Farmer's Advocate*, London, Ontario, recently offered a prize for the best method of keeping eggs over winter. The recipe given below, took the prize:—"Whatever excludes the air prevents the decay of the egg. What I have found to be the most successful method of doing so is to place a small quantity of salt butter in the palm of the left hand and turn the egg round in it, so that every pore of the shell is closed; then dry a sufficient quantity of bran in an oven (be sure you have the bran well dried, or it will rust.) Then pack them with the small ends down, a layer of bran and another of eggs, until your box is full; then place in a cool, dry place. If done when new laid, they will retain the sweet milk and curd of a new laid egg for at least eight or ten months. Any oil will do, but salt butter never becomes rancid, and a very small quantity of butter will do a very large quantity of eggs. To insure freshness I rub them when gathered in from the nests; then pack when there is a sufficient quantity."

Keep But One Breed of Poultry.

There is hardly an enthusiast on the subject of poultry, who does not at first endeavor to keep several varieties. He visits an exhibition, or the yards of some extensive dealer, and admiring various breeds, purchases some of each, without considering whether his accommodations are sufficient for all, and underestimating the amount of time required to manage them perfectly. We would say to all beginners, do not attempt to keep more than one breed, unless you have plenty of time to spend, and in addition, inexhaustible patience, and that tact possessed by the born naturalist, that is, by one who has an ingrained fondness for animals. The interest in thoroughbred fowls is so great and increasing, that thousands of novices set one every year in the pursuit of rearing them. There is little satisfaction, however, in the long run, in keeping fowls, unless they are well managed and thrifty. Keep only one variety, therefore, in order to succeed as an amateur.

Plowing Under Straw.

A "Learner" asks whether straw plowed under yields more fertility than the manure made from the same straw by feeding to cattle. Undoubtedly straw loses by passing through the animal, else the animal would gain nothing by eating it, and the amount of fertilizing matter must be less in straw after being used as a food. But its condition, after being fed, is so much improved, that its effect may be greater upon the first crop, especially as a top dressing. The greatest effect that can be produced by straw as a fertilizer upon heavy land, is to plow it under. It will then form an air space under the furrow and cause a constant deposit of ammonia from the atmosphere during the first season, producing, often, as fine a crop as even well settled manure. The second year the straw will decay and become active manure of itself. The straw takes long to decay, while the manure made from it decays rapidly. These are the facts which lead to such contradictory conclusions. But straw plowed under will show its effects for many years.

To Prevent Horses From Jumping.

In response to an inquiry, W. H., of the *Western Farmer*, says: To prevent jumping, I have found just two ways effective. Buckle a surcingle around the body, then the halter strap through the fore legs to this; tie so that the horse cannot get his head above the point of the shoulder. Second, place upon the horse a common halter with forehead strap, sew to this a piece of sheepskin, the wool side next the head, and hanging low enough to compel him to hold up his head too high for a spring to enable him to see the top of the fence. This latter suggestion we value as applicable to colts to which the temptation to jump is liable to be presented.

Pear Seedlings.

A Western paper says: "It is of little use to experiment with pear seedlings, as they are liable to leaf blight the first Summer, which will destroy most if not all of them, unless they are treated by an experienced hand in the business." This in answer to a Nebraskan's inquiry. How it may be in Nebraska we cannot say from either observation or experience; but we know Eastern farmers who every year or two sow a quantity of pear seed, raise seedlings from them as easily and cheaply as from apple seed, top-graft them and fill up their orchards with them; and they are no more likely to blight than pear trees from the most accustomed nurserymen.—*Moore's Rural New Yorker.*

A LEGAL ATTACHMENT.

BY AN UNDERGRADUATE OF THE LAW SCHOOL.

Believe me, Bess, when I declare
A title deed's my heart,
And you the party of the first,
And I the second part.

That I have an attachment true,
Is useless quite to mention;
In vain I seek to serve you and
Arrest your sweet attention.

You know you owned some love for me
When I the question mooted,
But now it seems to me you act
As if you were non-suited.

My case is one in equity;
I've pleaded with precision;
You know the points; why will you then
So long reserve decision?

I make no dilatory plea;
I'm driven to distraction!
Unless I soon obtain relief
I'm sure I shall take action.

At first a civil suit I'll bring
At Cupid's special session;
And there, a plaintiff lover, ask
For judgment by confession.

Now don't demur when this you read,
But own you feel compunction,
For I my suit will prosecute,
In spite of your injunction.

And if my judgment in despite,
You will not hear me still,
I'll get an order from the Court,
T'administer your will.

I trust you'll file an answer brief
To this, my declaration,
Or else I shall proceed to make
A *cross*-examination.

—*N. Y. Eve. Post.*

The Happy Man.

I noticed a mechanic among a number of others at work in a house erected but a little way from my office, who always appeared to be in a merry humor, who always had a kind word and a cheerful smile for every one he met. Let the day be ever so cold, gloomy, or sunless, a happy smile danced as a sunbeam upon his countenance. Meeting him one morning, I asked him to tell me the secret of his constant, happy flow of spirits. "No secret, Doctor," he replied. "I have one of the best of wives, and when I go to work she always has a word of encouragement for me; when I go home she always meets me with a tender kiss; and she is sure to be ready with my meals; and she has done so many things through the day to please me, that I cannot find it in my heart to speak unkindly to any one." What influence, then, hath woman over the heart of man, to soften it, and to make it the fountain of cheerful and pure emotions? Speak gently, then; a happy smile and a kind word of greeting after the toils of the day are over, cost nothing, and go far toward making a home happy and peaceful.—*Dr. Franklin.*

Patent Eye-Wash.

A loving husband once waited on a physician to request him to prescribe for his wife's eyes, which were very sore. "Let her wash them," said the doctor, "every morning with a small glass of brandy." A few weeks after, the doctor chanced to meet the husband. "Well, my friend, has your wife followed my advice?" "She has done everything in her power to do it, doctor," said the spouse; "but she never could get the glass higher than her mouth."

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Board of Managers—George A. Berry, President; John Scott, Jas. Park, Jr., Vice Presidents; D. E. McKinley, Secretary and Treasurer.

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OF
PRICES!!
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Millinery,
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The following BARGAINS will be offered this week:

NEW PRICES!

Ball Fringes, 1 and 2 Balls, 44c, 50c.
Wide Silk Fringes, 37 1-2c, worth 75c.
Beaded Gimps, 30, 37, 50, 60c.
Good Merino Vests, 60c.
Good Gents' Merino Vests, 50c.
Good Merino Hose, 12 1-2c.
Good Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 12 1-2c.
Good 2-Button Kid Gloves, 90c.
Real Perinot Kid Gloves, $1.25.
Real Hair Switches, 75c.
Colored Silk Velvets, $1.00, $1.50, $2.
Black Silk Velvet, $1.90.
27-inch Black Silk Velvets, $5.00.
Drab and Black Felt Hats, 62c.
Velvet Hats, 50c, 75c, $1.00.
Boys' Fur Caps, 65c.
Seal Colored Silk Velvet, $2.90.
Navy Blue Silk Velvet, $2.90.
Children's Fine Fur Sets, $2, $2.50, $3.
Good Whalebone Corsets, 40c, worth 75c.

Good Bargains
IN EVERY
DEPARTMENT
Call early to avoid the rush at the
One-Price
ESTABLISHMENT!
OF
ROSENBAUM & CO.,
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N. B.—Particular attention will be paid to ORDERS Received by Mail.

GEO. WOODS & CO.'S
ORGANS!

A fine assortment of these remarkable instruments can be seen at

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A visit as above will amply repay organists and all interested in knowing to what degree of perfection these instruments have attained.

THE PIANO STOP,

Is an invention of the greatest importance, giving the organ the brilliancy and promptness of the Piano.

DRY GOODS, TRIMMINGS. DRY GOODS, TRIMMINGS. DRY GOODS, TRIMMINGS. DRY GOODS, TRIMMINGS

ALLEGHENY, PA., WEDNESDAY, DEC. 2, 1874.

Thanking the public for the very liberal patronage received during the past month, we desire to assure all that the inducements in the way of BARGAINS IN DRY GOODS, that we will offer during the present month, will amply repay all who may visit this house. Not buying stated stocks of Goods at regular season intervals, but purchasing our Goods DAILY and WEEKLY in quantities to suit our active trade, we thereby avoid the necessity of "Closing-out Sales," and are enabled not only to offer our customers full supplies of Goods, but the advantages in the way of Bargains we secure toward the close of the season in the Eastern Markets.

BARGAINS FOR DECEMBER
IN
Dress Goods,
LADIES' SUITS,
Shawls, Sacques, Jackets.

At 25c, Black and Colored Alpacas, equal to goods usually sold at 37½c.
At 37½c, Black and Colored Alpacas, equal to goods usually sold at 50c.
At 12½c, New Dress Goods, worth 20c.
At 25c, Bargains in Serges, Diagonals, &c.
At 37½c, Dress Goods, worth 50c.
At 50c, All-wool French Merinos, choice colors, usual price 75c.
Extraordinary bargains in Black Cashmeres, Sateens, Serges and Poplins at low prices.

Waterproof Cloths, in all colors, at exceedingly low prices.
Special Bargains in Cloths, Cassimeres, Jeans, &c., &c.

BARGAINS FOR DECEMBER
IN
Flannels & Blankets
AND
DOMESTIC GOODS.

Bargains in Shirting Flannels.
Bargains in Barred Flannels.
Bargains in best Country Flannels.
Bargains in Twilled Flannels, all colors.
Bargains in Fine Flannels.
Bargains in Best Country Blankets.
Bargains in Eastern Blankets.
Bargains in Colored Blankets.

Best 6¼c Unbleached Muslin yet offered.
Best 4 and 5c Calicos yet offered.
Best 8 and 10c Muslins to be found anywhere.
Best 12½c Bleached Muslins.
Best 6¼c Dark Calicos.
Best 8⅓c New Dark Calicos.
Housekeeping Dry Goods, at lowest prices.

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IN
Ladies', Gents' and Children's
UNDERWEAR
STOCKINGS,
SOCKS AND GLOVES.

At 37½c, Men's Heavy Ribbed Merino Drawers.
At 37½c, Men's Heavy Ribbed Merino Shirts.
Extra Bargains in Men's Best Scarlet Underwear.
Extra Bargains in Men's Best White Underwear.
Men's Winter Gloves, Socks, &c.

AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES.

Ladies' and Children's Merino Underwear.
Ladies' and Children's Winter Stockings.
Ladies' and Children's Winter Gloves, all kinds.

Extra good bargains in Ladies' and Children's FURS, everything new and desirable.

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LARGE AND
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ALL THE
Lowest Prices
By the Piece, Package or Bale.

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197 AND 199
PENN AVENUE.
LARGE ARRIVALS OF
CHOICE GOODS
DURING THIS WEEK.

In view of the stringency in money matters, we are offering all classes of goods in each department of our business at the

Lowest Possible Prices.
FRESH LOTS OF
Ladies' Cloaks
OPENED EVERY DAY.
Misses' and Children's Cloaks,
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SEAL SKIN CLOAKS,
SEAL MUFFS,
SEAL BOAS, SEAL CAPS,

Medium to finest quality, small regular and extra size Cloaks, plain and shaped, in stock, or made to order.

Children's Coney Cloaks, Muffs and Caps.

We are also offering an unequaled assortment of Ladies' and Children's

Plain and Fancy Striped Cashmere Hosiery.

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New Flowers, Feathers and Birds.

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Ladies' Elegant Braided and Beaded Cashmere Costumes and Sacques at a Special Bargain.

Black Cashmeres, Black Mohairs and Alpacas at unusually Low Prices. Dress Goods in all the New and Desirable Shades at very Low Prices, at

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MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN THE
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SLATE MANTLES.
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Men's Hemmed Handkerchiefs,	*11c.*
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Hair Curls,	*98c.*
Two Ball Fringe,	*49c.*
Mad. Foy's Corsets,	*$1.22.*
Ladies' Merino Hose,	*9c.*
Ladies' Vests,	*63c.*
Two Button Kids,	*98c.*

Great variety of Holiday Goods Now Ready.
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Eider Down Comforts.
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Fine Wool Blankets,
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CARPETS.
CHOICEST DESIGNS IN
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ELEGANT STYLES IN
TWO AND THREE PLYS
AT REDUCED PRICES, AT
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New No. 29 Fifth Avenue.

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Insures against all kinds of Fire and Marine Risks.

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CAPT. WM. DEAN, General Agent.

DIRECTORS:

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OF PITTSBURGH.

Office, No. 8 SIXTH AVENUE, Bank of Commerce Building.

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WESTERN INSURANCE CO.
OF PITTSBURGH.
INCORPORATED APRIL, 1849.

Capital, - - - $225,000.

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Pianos from - $250 to $800.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT [illegible] THE TRADESMEN'S INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE [illegible]

PHOTOGRAPH CELEBRITIES.

The demand for the BROOKLYN CELEBRITIES [illegible]

Henry Ward Beecher,
Theodore Tilton,
Francis D. Moulton,
Mrs. Elizabeth R. Tilton,
Miss Bessie Turner,
Mrs. Victoria C. Woodhull,
Miss Tennessee C. Claflin,

[illegible]

DR. WHITTIER,
NO. 296 PENN STREET,
PITTSBURGH, PA.,

[illegible]

DR. WHITTIER.

TRUE MARRIAGE GUIDE.

[illegible]

BARR & MOSER,
ARCHITECTS
HAVE REMOVED to the GAZETTE building, Cor. Sixth avenue and Smithfield street.

PATENTS PROCURED — PATENTS BOUGHT AND SOLD

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INVENTORS' BUREAU,
[illegible] Smithfield street,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

OFFICIAL—PITTSBURGH.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CONTROLLER,
PITTSBURGH, November 30, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT two (2) per cent. of the OUTSTANDING WATER EXTENSION BONDS OF THE CITY OF PITTSBURGH, will be paid if presented at this office DECEMBER 10TH, 1874.
de1 R. M. SNODGRASS, Controller.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the Viewers on the opening of Home street, from Centre to Valley street, are now in my hands for collection, and if not paid within thirty days of the date hereof, liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, cost and fees.
THOS. S. BIGELOW, City Attorney.
Pittsburgh, Nov. 24, 1874. no25

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
PITTSBURGH, November 18, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT five (5) per cent. of the outstanding Fire Department Loan Bonds of the City of Pittsburgh, will be paid if presented at this office, December 1st, 1874.
no18 R. M. SNODGRASS, Controller.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the Viewers on the opening of LIBERTY AVENUE from Thirty-third street to Centre avenue, are now in my hands for collection, and if not paid within thirty days of the date hereof, liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, cost and fees.
THOS. S. BIGELOW, City Attorney.
Pittsburgh, Nov. 9, 1874. no10

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the Viewers on the opening of the following streets and avenues are in my hands for collection, and if not paid within 30 days of the date hereof, liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, cost and fees.

Opening of Thirty-fourth street, from Carson street to Monongahela river.
Opening of Albert street, from Charles street to Bluff street.
Opening of Morris street, from Clark street to J. Gallagher's property.
Opening of Henry street, from Clark street to Bates street.
Opening of Charles street, from Henry street to Morgan street.
Opening of Camp street from Herron avenue to Jefferson street.
Opening of Iowa street from Herron avenue to Bellefield.
Opening of Adelaide street from Madison avenue to Iowa street.
Opening of Jefferson street from Ridge street to Alpine street.
Opening of Webster avenue from Kirkpatrick street to Thirty-third street.
THOS. S. BIGELOW, City Attorney.
Pittsburgh, Nov. 12, 1874. no13

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the Viewers on the opening and grading of the following streets and [illegible]

THOS. S. BIGELOW, City Attorney.
Pittsburgh, Oct. 19, 1874.

PROPOSALS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—SEALED

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Notice to Contractors.

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JAMES BROWN,

ORDINANCES.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Grading of Craig street, from Fifth avenue to [illegible]

[illegible]

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Opening of Howard Street

HOWARD STREET.

[illegible]

QUICKLY CURED.

[illegible]

GIRARD MEDICAL DISPENSARY,
No. 137 Grant street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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FINANCIAL.

FRANKLIN SAVINGS FUND
AND
SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY,
Cor. Seventh Avenue and Smithfield Street.
Incorporated by Legislature of Pennsylvania.

CAPITAL, - - - - - - $250,000.

Interest allowed on deposits. Short Loans on Valuable Property, Real or Personal. Discounts daily.

Open daily from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on Saturdays from 7 to 9 P. M.

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BANKERS AND BROKERS,
No. 58 FOURTH AVENUE,
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Collections made on all points of the United States.

We buy and sell Stocks, Bonds and Government Securities on Commission.

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Passage tickets to and from Europe and Sight Drafts on England, Ireland and Scotland at lowest rates.

SHOE AND LEATHER BANK,
14 Smithfield Street,
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D. R. DAVIDSON, President.
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Deposits received and 6 per cent. interest allowed Time Deposits. Particular attention given to collections and proceeds promptly remitted.

GERMAN NATIONAL BANK,
Cor. Wood St. and Sixth Ave.

CAPITAL, - - - - - - $250,000.
SURPLUS, - - - - - - 127,000.

Interest allowed on Time Deposits.
Exchange on Germany, France, England and Switzerland at lowest rates. Collections made promptly on all parts of the United States and Canadas. Particular attention given to all business of correspondents.

DIRECTORS—A. Groetzinger, J. F. Havekotte, W. F. Lang, J. C. Dickson, E. H. Meyers, Jos. Lang, Paul Hugus, Christ. Seibert, P. Haberman.
A. GROETZINGER, President.
JOSEPH LAURANT, Cashier.

INTERNATIONAL BANK,
Cor. Liberty and Market Sts.
CAPITAL..............................$200,000.
PAYS INTEREST ON DEPOSITS.

5 per cent. per annum upon daily balances—from inactive non-borrowing accounts—payable on demand.

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W. H. MECHLING, President.
WM. NEEB, Vice President.
F. E. MOORE, Cashier.

DAILY GAZETTE.

FINANCIAL.

Latest Advices Concerning Money and Stock Matters.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
WEDNESDAY, December 2, 1874.

It is but proper to admit that a very severe pressure is felt among our business men in this city, and unless there is a better development during the next week or two, the winter will bring a severe struggle to the business of the city. December is usually a hard month, and this year it will not prove an exception to the rule.

The offerings at the banks continue good, but there has been a hardening of rates, and is a closer scrutiny of paper than prevailed a short time since. We are very well impressed that the banks are anxious to accommodate as largely as possible, but the panic has made them unusually cautious, and they are disposed to run on the side of safety, if at all. It will require a real and general revival of business to fully restore ease in the working of our financial markets.

—Although a business depression exists in the manufacturing States of the east, it does not seem to be felt to the same degree in the west, where, according to the Chicago papers, there is more business doing this year than in 1873. After the panic of last year a reduction in transportation rates led to a large shipment of grain, so that the surplus standing over in the spring was very much reduced. This led to a reduction in the rates of freight on the lakes after the opening of navigation, and the western producers began the season of 1874 with more cash on hand than usual. The cash value of corn received in Chicago during 1873 was $14,000,000; the cash value of that received in 1874 has been thus far $21,000,000, an increase of fifty per cent., and with six weeks yet to run. The crop was less in quantity, but increased prices made up this increase in cash values. It is estimated that the farmers of the northwest have sold (and will sell) during the fall and winter of 1874, $151,000,000 of products, including hogs, corn, rye, etc. The prosperity of the farmers has led to business activity among the manufacturers of the west, whose immediate customers they are, so that, while in the eastern States there are well founded complaints of hard times, Chicago papers are enabled to write of their local prosperity.

—We see it stated that several influential members of Congress intend to present to that body a resolution calling for all papers bearing upon the operations of the earlier syndicate. This step will probably lead to an exposure of the misapplication of the appropriations for the expenses of the national loan.

—The Ohio and Mississippi Railroad Company have negotiated their remaining mortgage bonds to pay off all their floating debt, and out of the earnings have taken up the preferred stock dividend due next March. The managers announce that hereafter these dividends will be met promptly as they mature.

—There is a disposition among all the trades thus far heard from, the *Tribune* says, to move for the abandonment of all specific duties and the adoption of a strictly ad valorem system.

Luther S. Kauffman, Broker, No. 96 Fourth Avenue, furnishes the following quotations of bonds and stocks from the latest advices by telegraph:

	Opened.	Closed.
Gold	112½	112
U. S. Sixes—1861—coupons	120½	120⅛
5-20 1862	112⅝	112⅝
20—1864	114⅝	114⅝
" 1865	116⅝	115
" 1865 new.	119	118⅞
" 1867	120	119⅞
" 1868—coupons	119¾	119⅞
10-40's	113¾	113⅝
Currency 6's	116½	116¼
New 5 per cents.	112⅝	113
10-40's—coupons	114¼	114
RAILWAYS.		
New York Central	102	101⅞
Erie	28	28⅛
I. C.	97	
C. C. & I.	10	10¼
St. Paul	40	39⅞
Co Pref.		58⅝
Michigan Southern	80⅝	81⅛
Do. Central	77⅝	77¾
North Western Common	46⅝	46⅝
Do. Pref		62⅝
Rock Island	101½	102
Cleveland & Pittsburgh	88⅛	88⅜
Pacific Mail	44⅝	45
Western Union Telegraph	81⅝	81⅝
Ohio & Mississippi	33	33¼
Union Pacific	35⅝	36¼
Toledo & Wabash	31⅝	32
Harlem	130	130½
Adams Express	114	117
American Express	64⅝	65¼
U. S. Express	64¼	64⅝
W., Fargo & Co. Express	83⅝	83⅝
Fort Wayne		95
Merchants Union Express	18	
Hannibal & St. Joseph		26⅜
Panama	137	
A. & P. Pref.	16⅜	
Canton	60	

Luther S. Kauffman furnishes the following quotations of active stock on the Philadelphia Stock Board to-day:

Penna Central	52⅝	
" " scrip	105⅝	
Reading	54⅞	
United Cos. of N. J.	129	129¾
Oil Creek	8⅝	8⅝
Lehigh Valley	61⅝	61⅝
Central Transportation	42½	42⅝
Empire		53

NEW YORK, December 1, 1874.

Money active and in good demand at 3½@5, and in late dealings 4½@5 for call loans. Prime mercantile paper was a shade higher, in anticipation of a generally higerr market, at 5@8 per cent. for approved double named and 5½@10 for single named. Sterling was dull throughout the day, and at the close weak at 484¾@485 for sixty days and 489¾@490 for demand. The produce exports were $5,000,000. The customs receipt swere $377,000. The specie shipments were $100,000. Gold fell from 112½ to 111⅞, one of the recent pools having, it is said, unloaded at 112. The carrying rate was 1 per cent., and borrowing 3 per cent. and flat. The clearings were $45,000,000. The Treasury disbursements were $96,000. Government bonds opened strong and higher in some instances, and closed strong. State bonds were quiet and nominal. Railroad bonds were active and strong. The leading feature was an advance of ¼@1 per cent. in Pacific Mail issues. A heavy business was done in Union Pacific firsts and sinking funds, the former selling at 92¾ and the latter at 76½. Stocks were more active than for some time. Speculative stocks opened ⅛@¼ above the closing quotations of yesterday, with the exception of Erie, which was ⅜ lower in consequence of an order granted restraining the company from paying interest. Late in the day the stock became strong and active on the announcement that the Supreme Court had dissolved the injunction granted yesterday. The market continued strong, with Northwest and Union Pacific as features, until an advance of ½@1¼ per cent. occurred, after which there was a general falling off, followed by an advance; but at the close there was a slight reaction on realization sales. The transactions aggregated 276,000 shares, of which 17,000 were Consolidated Coal, 26,000 Cumberland, 36,000 Erie preferred, 18 Harlem preferred, 30,000 Michigan Central, 31,000 Northwestern preferred, 30,000 Wabash preferred, 12,000 Ohio & Mississippi, 24,000 Hanibal & St. Joseph preferred, and 36,000 C. C. & I. C.

Governments.—U. S. coupons of 1881, 120¾; 5-20's of '62, 112¾; do of '64, 114¾; do of '65, 116⅝; do new, 118⅝; do of '67, 120¼; do of '68, 119⅝; 10-40s, 114; new 5s, 112⅝; currency 6s, 116¼, ex. int.

State Bonds.—Missouri, 6s, 96⅝; Tennessee, old, 75; do new, 75; Virginia new, 39; do old, 38; North Carolina, old, 27; do new, 14.

Stocks.—Canton, 83½; Western Union Telegraph Company, 81¼; Quicksilver, 35¼; Adams Express, 114; Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express, 83½; American Express, 65¼; United States Express, 64¾; Pacific Mail, 45; New York Central, 101¾; Erie, 28¼; do. preferred, 42; Harlem, 130½; do. preferred, 125; Michigan Central, 77¾; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago, 88¾; Northwestern common, 46¾; do. preferred, 62⅝; Rock Island, 102; New Jersey Central, 107; St. Paul, 39¾; do. preferred, 58⅝; Toledo & Wabash, 31½; do. preferred, 45; Fort Wayne, 95½; Terre Haute, 10; do preferred, 26¼; Chicago & Alton, 101½; do. preferred, 106½; Ohio & Mississippi, 33¼; Cleveland, Columbus & Cincinnati, 65; Burlington & Quincy, 103¼; Lake Shore, 81½; Panama, 10; Illinois Central, 97½; Union Pacific, 36¼; Central Pacific, 96½; Union, 92¾; Delaware & Lackawanna, 109.

LONDON, December 1—5 P. M.—The rate of discount in open market on three months' bills is 5⅜ per cent., which is ⅜ below the Bank of England rate. Consols: money, 93@93⅛; account, 92@92⅛, ex. int.; 5-20's of '65, 106¼; do of '67, 109⅝; 10-40's, 104¼; new 5s, 103¼; Erie, 26; do preferred, 39; New York Central, 94.

PARIS, December 1.—Rentes 62f 15c.

COMMERCIAL.

Condition of the Markets at Home and Abroad.

DAILY REPORT OF PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
TUESDAY, Dec. 1, 1874.

The general merchandise markets continue quiet, and devoid of anything new or important; the demand for all the leading staples is confined mainly to supplying immediate wants, and our merchants and manufacturers as well, complain that business is considerably short of what it usually is at this particular time.

APPLES—The market continues slow, with continued liberal receipts, and the supply is steadily accumulating; prices, however, are still maintained: $1.50 to $2.50 ₱ bbl, as to quality.

BEANS—Continue dull but unchanged; mediums, $1.90 to $2 ₱ bushel; navies, $2.20 to $2.25.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Dull; 3½@4c.

BUTTER—There is a continued good demand for the better grades; sales of prime to choice roll at 30 to 33c. Common stock in good supply and dull.

CHEESE—The market continues quiet but prices are still maintained; prime Ohio Factory, 16½@17; New York ditto, 17½@18.

CRANBERRIES—$10 to $14 ₱ bbl, the outside figure for Sacketts. Market dull.

DRIED FRUIT—Small sales within the range of 5@6 for Apples and 8@9 for halve Peaches.

EGGS—Fresh, guaranteed as such, 28@29; pickled, 20 to 25, as to quality or brand.

FLOUR—The demand continues light, and prices remain unchanged. Spring wheat flours, $5.50@5.75 for Wisconsins, and $5.90@6 for Minnesotas; winters, $5.85@6 for red and $6.50@6.75 for white. Rye Flour, $5.50@5.75.

GROCERIES—Coffee is lower, the very best goods having been bought for this market, to-day, by W. Haslage, at a decline of 2c ₱ lb, under prices of ten days ago, with similar purchases by other merchants whose names we did not learn. The stock is accumulating in the east, and the prospect is for easier prices. Sugars easier. Thomson & Co. telegraph prices from New Orleans as follows, for Sugar and Molasses:—Sugars, 7¾ prime; Molasses, 50 to 53c prime, and market firm. Many believe that Sugars have touched bottom. Rice higher, and the market looking upward. Syrups easy. Lard strong. Lard Oil stronger, and is quite active at advanced quotations.

SUGARS.			
Crushed	11½	Standard B	10⅝
Granulated	11¼	Ex C Standard	10¼
Powdered	11¼	Demarara	9½@10¼
Standard A	10⅝	Porto Rico	8¾@9¼
N. O. Sugar	8½@9¼		
SYRUPS.			
Sugar house	35@40	Sugar Drips	60@65
Maryland	45	White Drips	65@70
Silver Drips	55	Extra Golden	70@75
COFFEES.			
Rio Good	20@21	Roasted 1 lb pkg	26
Rio Prime	22@23	Roasted loose	25½
Rio Fancy	24@25	Roasted Java	40
RICE.			
Rangoon ₱ lb	7@7½	Patna ₱ lb	7½@8
Carolina ₱ lb	8@8½		
MOLASSES.			
Porto Rico	50@55	New Orleans	72@75
Demarara	50@55		
SPICES.			
Grain Pepper	27	Ground Ginger, 10 lb cans	31
" Allspice	20	Ground Allspice, 10 lb cans	25
Cloves	50	Ground Cloves, 10 lb cans	63
Cassia, Bark	40	Ground Mustard, 10 lb cans, Durham	35
Nutmegs	$1 40		
Ground Pepper, 10 lb cans	35		
Ground Cinnamon, 10 lb c	50		

GRAIN—There is a good demand for both Corn and Oats, and as the stock here is very much reduced, and prices, even at the sharp advance, are still lower relatively than at the source of supply; holders are holding these grains at full rates and are indifferent about selling. Oats may be quoted at 66 to 68; new ear corn at 75 to 78, and new shelled at 78 to 80, with sales of 20 cars at 78, on track, equal to 80, free in elevator. Old Corn, to use a common phrase, is about played out, and will bring but little more than new. Wheat is more inquired for and firmer; Penna. and Ohio red quotable at $1.14 to $1.17; and amber and white at $1.20 to $1.22. Rye is in demand, and the supply in this market is very small; quotable at $1.07 to $1.10. Prime Penna and Ohio Fall Barley, $1.40.

HAY—There is a fair demand for baled, and with continued light receipts, the market may be quoted steady at $20 to $24. Loose, from country wagons, $25 to $30. Oat Straw, baled, by the carload, $15 to $16.

ONIONS—$3 to $4 ₱ bbl.

PROVISIONS—The market for the hog product continues firm, with an unusually good demand for this season of the year, and, as will be seen, we have advanced our quotations on Bacon Shoulders and Mess Pork.

Hams—Extra S. C. ₱ lb	13	Lard-Prime Leaf in tierces, ₱ lb	14½
Shoulders, Ex S. C.	11	Do., half barrels	15
B'fast Bacon, S. C.	14	Do., bk'ts	16
Dried Beef, Ex. Sugar Cured, old	15	Do., 3 lb caddies	16½
Beef Tongues Sugar Cured, ₱ doz.		Do., 5 lb do	16¾
Bacon Shoulders	9½	Do., 3 lb pails	17
Short Rib Sides	13¼	Do., 5 lb do	16¾
Clear Sides	14	Do., 6 lb do	16½
Mess Pork, ₱ bbl.	$22.00	Lard-Ref. for summer use in tres.	15
Ham Sausage	10	Do., in ½ bbls	15½
Lard Oil, per gal	$1.08	Do., in bk'ts	16
		Carbon Oil, per gal	10½

POTATOES—The market is reported firmer, in consequence of diminished receipts, but the demand is mostly for small lots; sales of Peach Blows, in a jobbing way, at 90 to 95c ₱ bushel, and Early Rose and Peerless at 75 to 80. Sweets, $4.75 to $5 ₱ bbl for Jerseys.

POULTRY—Dressed Chickens, 12 to 13; do. Turkeys, 14 to 15c. Live Chickens, 40 to 50 cents per pair.

RAGS—Quiet and unchanged; regular sales at 2½@3 cts for good mixed, woolen ½c ₱ lb.

TALLOW—Country, 7 to 7½; city, 8 to 8½.

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
TUESDAY, Ded. 1, 1874.

The market for Crude was reported firmer, and, as compared with yesterday, prices were a shade higher; immediate shipment, at Parker, quoted at 80@82½c ₱ bbl. A dispatch from Parker attributed the advance to the connection made by the Conduit Pipe Line Company there in direct communication with the wells, but whether it had any influence or not we are not prepared to state, although there is this about it, it will undoubtedly increase competition. It is stated that all the old pipe line companies are in sympathy with the West Penna. R. R., and will do all in their power to squelch their new competitor, but it will be without avail. The oil interests of Pittsburgh imperatively demand a pipe line, so as to reduce the cost of transportation, and if it is ascertained that the Conduit is not equal to the emergency, other lines will no doubt be constructed. There were sales of refined to-day, for Baltimore delivery, at 10⅜, and we are cognizant of the same figure having been bid for 2,500 bbls more. Ocean freights have advanced a shilling and a half ₱ bbl, equal to about 40c in our money, which would bring the rates at New York and Philadelphia up as high as those from Baltimore, and as oil can be delivered cheaper at the latter place than the former, the inquiry just now is mainly for Baltimore delivery.

The Barrel trade continues very dull, and prices are entirely nominal; city make quoted at $1.35 to $1.40. Market bare of countries.

RECEIPTS CRUDE OIL PER ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Shipper	Consignee.	Bbls.
J Bushnell	National O W	1,185
J Bushnell	Crystal O W	314
T M Perry	Sunbeam O W	148
G M Robinson	Eureka O W	80
Total.		1,727

New York Breadstuffs Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—This day week we left our Wheat market very strong under favorable continental advices and a considerable advance in exchange and gold, but owing to a material advance in ocean freights the export demand was checked, and for some days subsequent to our last a heavy feeling prevailed, the larger arrivals and absence of tonnage for German ports restricting transactions materially; but still later, under a brisk speculative inquiry for Spring for Western account, a decided advance was established; but since Tuesday much of the improvement has been lost, owing to the absence of speculative buyers, free receipts, and a further advance in freights prices of Spring again declined, the current prices being above the limits of most shippers' orders; the supply of No 1 Spring is limited; this has fluctuated but slightly, is popular with shippers, has sold well, and in this we look for a good trade during the Winter should we have a better supply of tonnage, which seems probable; Winter Wheat has been very well sustained and has been fairly active; only common qualities to be had on easier terms; we have added materially to our stock of Spring, much of it of common quality; Thursday was observed as a day of thanksgiving, hence the business of the week has been limited, the strike of the 'longshoremen further restricting the export trade; our millers have purchased moderately, as prices of No 2 Spring have averaged higher relatively than flour; our advices from Europe are quite as favorable as we had expected; it is very evident that the consumption of Wheat for cattle food is on the increase, especially on the Continent, and should it be used judiciously with the proper mixture it will doubtless prove cheaper than coarser grains, which are scarce and high. The protracted drouth on the Continent is causing much apprehension for the Autumn sown Wheat, and the movement of their crops to the seaboard, owing to a want of water in their principal rivers, is a serious drawback to business, and the prospect now is that our Wheat from the Atlantic and Pacific coasts will have less competition in Liverpool and London than we have counted on. The exports of the week are 400,118 bush, against 646,295 bush, the corresponding week last year.

The features of our Flour market the past week have presented little change of interest, and as contrasted with the previous week there has been some improvement in the tone and a slight advance in grades under $5.70, more especially in shipping brands of State and Minnesota; these have sold rather more freely, and we find the latter are growing in favor at Liverpool, London and Manchester, and at the low prices at which they have been selling they are undoubtedly cheap, and at the close of yesterday's market they were in demand at hardening prices. A brisk demand may be noted for Good Red and Amber Winter Wheat Extras at $5.55 to $5.70, chiefly for the West Indies and Central America, and the trade have taken them rather more freely. Good St. Louis Extras, valued at $5.80 to $6 have been taken by the trade more freely, as with some advance in inland freights, they are certainly very cheap all things considered; indeed never so low before at this season of the year. City Ground has been in more active demand for the West Indies at some improvement in prices since Monday. In Common to Good State Extras a good business has been done for export at 5 to 10c advance, and we find the stock of these is much reduced. Good to choice Superfine has been sparingly offered, and with a good local demand and fair Provincial demand, has ruled firm; No. 3 has also sold well, and with our stock much reduced, holders have the advantage, and the market at the close was firm though quiet. Fancy brands of Minnesota have been in rather more general demand, but the improvement if any is confined to a few well-known brands. Choice Family brands valued at $6.25 and upward have sold quite freely, but we cannot report anything like a general advance, though with our stock somewhat reduced and the arrivals in prospect more moderate than hitherto; there was rather more confidence noticeable in the future. New Patent Process has sold slowly, especially brands not well known, but we have little change to notice in values. We do not remember a season when the Flour from almost all sections of the country was so good. The exports of the week have been 41,713 bbls, against 53,635 bbls the corresponding week last year.—*Tribune.*

Chicago Provisions Trade.

CHICAGO, November 30.—The *Inter-Ocean* says: Another active week has been passed in the provisions market, accompanied with considerable excitement, and more than the usual fluctuation in prices. Trading, as heretofore, was largely on speculative account, though there was more inquiry for meats for present delivery, with occasional sales for delivery after the opening of the new year. The receipts of hogs continue quite heavy, yet prices have advanced 30@50c per 100 lbs, which has been the main cause of the appreciation in the values of provisions. The quality during the past two or three days was not quite as good as that of the previous week; leading to the impression that the best hogs have been marketed. This deterioration in quality may be caused to some extent by the poorer weather for feeding—snow-storms and unfavorable weather prevailing in some sections of the West during the week past. Packers here have purchased the best droves offered, or those most suitable for their business, and the surplus left over in the pens daily was generally of poor and uneven quality. Some complaints have reached here from Southern markets complaining of short weight in mess pork. On investigation it appears that the pork was packed during warm weather in November and shipped directly to a warm climate, and it is claimed that it would have weighed out with the usual over weight had it been retained in the colder climate. It is also a fact that the meat of the hogs this season is not as solid as that of former seasons, as the old corn in the country has been disposed of, and farmers are compelled to use the new crop for fattening their stock, and the meat produced is soft and shrinks more than usual. Instances are reported where green meats have shown a shrinkage of 1½ ₱ cent. within a week. It may not be saying too much to state that the trade in most sections is meeting with like experience, and that our packers have endeavored to give satisfaction to the trade in all particulars, and are believed to be adhering strictly to their rules. The speculation in Mess Pork and Lard continues, induced by causes noted for the past two or three weeks—the prospect of a falling off in the hog crop and the aggregate packing, and the strength denoted in the domestic and Liverpool markets. The recent advance in prices during the past week or two has led to a more evenly divided set of operators—some inclining to the opinion that a further advance in values is not warranted, and quietly sold out and closed up their trades, which resulted in depressing values at times. The recent liberal purchases of cooperage by the packers also lead to the impression that the manufacture of mess pork will be more generally engaged in, and induced sales in anticipation of heavy deliveries. The inquiry for meats on foreign account continues light, and the opinion prevails that the contracts for the season will be lighter than usual, and purchases made only as needed to supply wants. Packing is progressing favorably here, and the majority of the country points show an increased business as compared with this time last year. The average weight of the hogs shows a slight improvement compared with those of three weeks ago, and the yield of lard is also greater, though both fall below those of last year. The movement of provisions from this point continues quite liberal, though mainly to Southern and Southeastern points. The bulk of shipments consists of meats for distribution to small points and for curing at the larger ones. There is a moderate amount of product going to foreign markets, but mainly on manufacturers account.

Philadelphia Cattle Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—Beef Cattle were in fair demand this week, at about former rates. 2,800 head arrived and sold at 7@7½c for Extra Pennsylvania and Western steers, 5½@6½c for fair to good do., 4@5c ₱ lb gross for common, as to quality.

Sheep were unchanged; 15,000 head sold at 4@6½c ₱ lb gross, as to condition.

Hogs were lower; 5,000 head sold at $10@10.25 ₱ 100 lbs net.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, December 1, 1874.

FLOUR—Dull but unchanged.

GRAIN—Wheat dull and declined; No 1 spring 94c; No 2 91¼c cash or seller December; 92⅛c seller January; No 3 85@85½c; rejected 81c. Corn dull and lower; No 2 mixed 73c cash; 72½c seller the year; new No. 2 mixed 66½c cash or seller the year; rejected old 65c. Oats dull; No 2 52½c cash or seller the year; rejected 49¼@49½c. Rye steady and in moderate demand; No. 1 95@95½c. Barley steady and in moderate demand; No 2 $1.25½ cash or seller December; No 3 $1.09@1.11½.

WHISKY—Firm at 97@97½c.

PROVISIONS—Pork lower; $19.75 spot. Lard dull and nominal; $13.20 spot; $13.55@13.60 seller February. Bulk meats dull; sales short ribs fifteen days old at 9¾c. Green shoulders 6⅜c; buyers generally demanding concessions.

On open Board this afternoon wheat closed lower at 90¾ seller December; 91⅞c seller January. Corn heavy at 71¾ seller the year; 73c cash. Oats lower; 51⅝ seller the year. Pork lower; $19.80 cash. Lard firm at $13.65.

New York.

NEW YORK, December 1.—Flour quiet; receipts 15,000 barrels; superfine western and State $4.10@4.90; common to good $4.75@5.00; good to choice $5.15@5.75; white wheat extra $5.75@6.25; extra Ohio $4.90@6.70; St. Louis $4.90@8. Corn meal unchanged. Rye flour unchanged. Wheat dull and heavy; receipts 200,000 bush; No 1 spring $1.17@1.25; No. 2 Milwaukee $1.13@1.14; No 2 Northwest $1.09@1.10; white western $1.28@1.36. Rye quiet at 94@97c. Barley dull at $1.52½. Malt quiet. Corn less active; receipts 80,000 bush; old mixed western in store 92½c; do afloat 94c; new white 90c. Oats dull and lower; mixed western 68@69c; white 68@70c. Hay, Hops and Groceries quiet. Petroleum dull; refined 10⅜@10⅝c; crude 5 5-16c. Rosin firmer at $2.30@2.35. Turpentine heavy at 34½@35c. Eggs firm at 28@30c. Pork firm; western mess $21.00. Beef quiet. Cut meats quiet. Middles firm; long clear 11@11¼c. Lard lower; prime steam 13¼c. Butter heavy; western 20@38c. Cheese quiet; common to prime 12½@15½c. Whisky dull and a shade easier, at $1.02½.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, December 1.—Cotton and Flour unchanged. Wheat dull at $1.01½@1.07. Corn quiet at 66@68c. Oats dull at 55c. Barley dull at $1.20@1.25. Rye quiet at $1. Whisky steady at $1. Provisions—nothing done in any article.

At the Brokers' Board this evening buyers and sellers were apart; no sales; $20.50 was bid for pork seller March, and $20 February. Lard was offered at 13¼c seller six months; 13½c January; 13¼c the year; no bids. Green hams; 14 lbs average offered at 10½c seller December; no bids; 50c per bbl paid for privilege of delivering pork in February at $20.75.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, December 1.—Cotton dull at 14½c. Flour steady and in moderate demand. Wheat steady; red $1.08@1.12. Corn steady at 70c. Oats active at 57@61c. Rye steady at $1.07@1.08. Barley firm at $1.30@1.35. Oils unchanged. Eggs, butter and cheese quiet. Pork dull; sales at $20.50 spot; $21.00 seller January. Lard easier; steam 13¾c spot; kettle jobbing 13¾@14½c. Bulk meats dull at 7¼, 10¼@10½c, all loose. Bacon quiet and unchanged. Green meats easier; shoulders 6¾@7c; sides 9¾c. Hams 11@11¼c. Whisky steady at 98c.

Foreign.

LONDON, December 1.—Tallow 46s 6d.

LIVERPOOL, December 1.—Cotton heavy; middling upland 7⅝d; Orleans 8⅛d; sales of 10,000 bales, including 9,000 bales American; 2,000 bales speculation and export. Breadstuffs firm. California white wheat average 9s@9s 6d; club 10s 3d@10s 6d; red western spring 8s 6d@8s 9d; red winter 9s 4d@9s 8d. Receipts of wheat for the past three days 18,000 qurs, of which 4,000 were American. Corn 39s.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, December 1.—Flour and Wheat steady and unchanged. Corn strong; mixed western 85c. Oats firm; western mixed 62@63c; white 64c. Rye steady at $1@1.05. Provisions firm. Pork $21@21.50. Bacon firm and unchanged. Sugar cured hams 14@15c. Bulk meats irregular at 7½, 8½, 10¼@11½c. Lard; refined 15c. Western butter quiet and steady; choice tub 33@35c; do rolls 30@33c. Coffee dull; fair to prime Rio in cargoes 17½@19½c. Petroleum firm and nominal. Whisky firm; small sales at $1.02.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, December 1.—Flour quiet and firmer; extra $4.65@4.85; Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana $5.50@6. Wheat quiet and steady; red $1.20@1.25; amber $1.27@1.28. Rye nominal. Corn; yellow old 94@95c; new 80@85c; white 83@85c. Oats; white 66@67c; mixed 65c. Petroleum nominal; crude 8¼c; refined 10⅜@10½c. Butter firm; western prime 35@36c. Cheese steady; western 15⅛@16¼c; prime do 14¾@15¼c. Eggs firm; western 30@32c.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, December 1.—Wheat, firm and unchanged. Corn dull and lower; high mixed shelled 74c; low mixed do 73c; ears on track 68c. Oats steady and unchanged. Petroleum firm; standard white car lots 8¾c; Ohio State test 10¼c; small lots 1@2c higher. Receipts wheat, none; corn, 1,400 bushels; oats, 1,950 bushels.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, December 1.—Flour steady and in moderate demand. Wheat dull; extra white Michigan $1.17; amber seller December $1.09½; seller January $1.13¼; No. 2 red $1.09. Corn dull and lower; high mixed 69c; seller December 68¾c; seller May 75c; low mixed 67½c; white 70½c. Oats quiet; No 2 and Michigan 55c; white 58c.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, December 1.—Flour quiet and steady. Wheat steady and in moderate demand; No 1 Milwaukee 89½c; No 2 89¼c. Corn dull and declined; No 2 mixed nominal at 74c. Oats steady; No 2 in store quiet at 55c. Rye lower and weak; No 1 98c. Barley nominally steady; No 2 $1.25.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, December 1.—Cotton dull at 12¾@13¼c. Flour quiet at $4.50@6. Wheat steady at $1.15. Corn steady at 85c. Oats steady at 65c. Lard 14¾@15c. Bulk shoulders 7⅜c; sides 10¾@11¼c. Whisky firm at $1.03.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, December 1.—Cotton quiet at 14¼c. Flour and Grain quiet and unchanged. Pork active at $22.00. Bacon—none. Sugar cured hams 12@13c. Bulk meats firm; 7¾c, 10⅝@10¾c. Lard; tierce 14⅞c; keg 15⅝c. Whisky 98c.

Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, December 1.—Flour steady at $3.25@6. Wheat steady at $1@1.10. Corn; ear 58@60c. Oats 54@56c. Rye 90@95c. Barley $1.20@1.25.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, December 1.—Cotton dull at 14c. Flour firm at $5.50@7.25. Corn active at 85@86c. Oats—none. Pork dull at $21. Lard firm at 15@15¾c. Bulk meats dull; 7¾, 10¾@11¼c.

Oswego.

OSWEGO, December 1.—Wheat quiet; No 1 Milwaukee $1.22. Corn firm; new high mixed 92c. Barley quiet.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, December 1.—Bacon in better demand and firm; 10, 13¾, 14⅞@15c. Hams scarce; old 12½@13c; new 15½@16c. Others unchanged.

Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Cattle: receipts 1,500 head; market extremely dull; prices entirely nominal at yesterday's quotations; shipments 254. Hogs: receipts estimated as high at 45,000. It is impossible to get the official receipts to-night; not less than 60,000 on sale, and market lower and weak. Prices: $5.90@7.50 for poor to extra; most sales at $6.95@7.20; shipments 3,000. Sheep: receipts 500 head; market quiet and steady at $3.00@4.25 for common to choice; shipments 400.

CINCINNATI, December 1.—Hogs: receipts 7,593; market dull and many unsold; common $6.50@7.00; medium to fair packing $7.15@7.20; good to extra $7.40@7.60; choice butchers $7.75; shipments 437 head.

ST. LOUIS, December 1.—Hogs active and higher; common $6.75@7; good to choice $7.25@7.50. Cattle inactive, weak and offerings mostly poor; choice to extra native steers 5¼@6c; good to prime 4½@5¼c; Texan steers 1¾@3¼c.

Cotton.

NEW YORK, December 1.—Cotton heavy; middling upland 14¾c; futures closed steady; sales 35,300 bales; December 14 9-16@14 9-32c; January 14 27-32c; February 15 13-16c; March 15 17-32c; April 15 13-16c; May 16@16 1-16c; June 16 11-32@16⅝c; June 16 21-32@16 11-16c.

NEW ORLEANS, December 1.—Cotton: demand good; sales of 6,650 bales; buyers are claiming further concessions; good staple kinds are firm; the general run of offerings is irregular and somewhat easier, but without quotable variations; receipts 10,149 bales; exports to continent 4,267 bales; Great Britain 3,190 bales; stock 128,089 bales; unsold last evening 19,300 bales; on shipboard 166,000 bales. The *Price Current* gives the following receipts of cotton since September 1st: From Red River 23,097 bales, against 12,282 in the same time last year; from the Ouachita River 2,495, against 659 last year; from Arkansas River none, against 1,492 last year; from Jackson Railroad 89,027, against 72,508 last year. Receipts proper since the 1st of September 299,308, against 243,524 last year, 317,780 in 1872 and 223,973 in 1871. Total at all ports 1,334,152, against 1,023,706 last year and 1,166,954 in 1872.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, December 1.—There was a moderate package trade in cotton goods, and agents closed out some heavy brown sheetings at low prices. Cotton flannels continue active and firm in price. Sideband prints are still in good demand. Kentucky Jeans and cottonades are doing fairly. Clothiers are placing orders for worsted coatings for spring wear. Heavy woolens are in moderate demand. Foreign goods are dull.

Wool.

PHILADELPHIA, December 1.—The wool trade continues quiet, and prices are unchanged.

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RIVER NEWS.

State of the Rivers, Movements of Steamboats, &c.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATION, SIGNAL SERVICE U. S. ARMY,—DAILY REPORT OF THE STAGE OF WATER, WITH CHANGES IN THE 24 HOURS ENDING 3 P. M.

Pittsburgh, Dec. 1, 1874.

Stations.	Above low water ft.	in.	Change —or+ ft.	in.	Dir'n of Wind.	State of Weather.
Cairo, Ill.	11	10		—3	SW	Fair.
Cincinnati, O.	14	2		—8	SW	Cloudy.
Davenport, Iowa	11		—1	4	Calm	Fair.
Keokuk, Iowa	3	2		—9	SW	Fair.
*Leavenworth	3				S	Fair.
Louisville	7	4		—2	S	Cloudy.
Memphis, Tenn.	7	6		+9	SW	Fair.
Nashville, Tenn.	10				SW	Fair.
Pittsburgh, Pa.	6	4		+2	W	Cloudy.
Shreveport, La.	7	8			S	Clear.
St. Louis, Mo.	7	8		+4	S	Fair.
Vicksburg, Miss.	6	6		+5	S	Clear.
Dubuque	2	11		—7	Calm	Cloudy.

*Below bench mark.

GEORGE H. ROHE,
Sergeant, Signal Service, U. S. A.

The river was about stationary last evening, with six feet four inches by the marks. Weather has again moderated; it thawed freely all afternoon, and the indications in the evening were favorable for rain. The Allegheny was putting out considerable ice, yesterday, but it was thin and did not interfere with navigation.

The Carrie Brooks departed for Zanesville with a fair trip.

Capt. McGeary, an Upper Missouri boatman, is here, prospecting for a new boat for that trade. It is more than likely he will contract here.

The Iron Mountain barges are filling up steadily for New Orleans, and, as will be seen by card, they are announced to take their departure to-day, in charge of the powerful towboat Iron Mountain.

The R. W. Skillinger, in consequence of the inclemency of the weather, did not get off for Cincinnati last evening as expected, but she will positively take her departure at noon to-day, and passengers and shippers should bear this in mind.

The Wild Duck will positively take her departure for St. Louis at noon to-day, and shippers are requested to get all their freight and bills of landing down as early in the day as possible. We are informed by Captain Adams that he has engagements below.

The Juniata was due from Cincinnati last night, and will doubtless be found in port this morning. As will be seen by card, she is announced to take her departure again to-day, and, furthermore, Capt. Brennan contemplates making weekly trips, leading here Wednesday. She is an elegant sidewheeler, offers superior inducements to passengers, and is in every way well adapted for the packet trade.

Capt. John Noss, of the St. Louis and New Orleans Kountz line steamer, Carrie V. Kountz, is here, having been called home by the sickness of his wife.

—Tuesday's Cincinnati *Commercial* has the following: The tow-boats Fair Play, Diamond, Condor, John Penny, John Bigley, Oil Valley No. 2, Simpson Horner, John A. Wood, Grand Lake, Eagle, J. Sharp McDonald, Resolute, Tom Rees No. 2, John Gilmore, Lioness No. 2, Mary Ann, John Dippold, Cobb Cecil, with a miscellaneous tow, N. S. Bigley and Leopard, with coal tows, arrived. The Jas. A. Blackmore, Coal City, Whale, Coal Valley, Mary Ann, and other tow-boats, left for Pittsburgh with empty tows. The Leopard and J. S. McDonald will leave for Pittsburgh this morning. The Whale's barges leaked so badly she returned here and packed up another tow, and left for Pittsburgh. The Coal Valley, with nine barges loaded with empty oil barrels, passed up for Pittsburgh from Aurora....Captain Jas. W. Batchelor came down on the towboat J. C. Richer from Pittsburgh. He found a telegram here from his brother, Capt. F. Y. Batchelor, asking him to take charge of the office of the Mollie Ebert. He accepts the position, and left here by rail to come out on the Ebert, which is announced to leave Pittsburgh for this city to-day. Captain Batchelor was not on the Mary Davage when she sunk....John A. Martin, C. C. Martin, Alex. Montgomery and Thomas Singleton have purchased the Hawkeye No. 2 for $7,000. She will be commanded by Captain John A. Martin, and will tow coal to Covington, Kentucky, from the Pioneer Mines on the Kanawha. She started up the river last night to tow here the crippled Alex. Chambers and her coal tow....The tug Waverly, with four produce boats in tow, passed down, bound for the South. The Hornet No. 2 left for Pittsburgh Sunday night, with four barges in tow, containing 9,000 empty barrels.

—Yesterday's Cincinnati *Gazette* says: The Exchange laid over yesterday in order to complete engagements. She will leave for Wheeling and Pittsburgh direct....The Joseph A. Stone and William Stone went to North Bend with tows. They arrived here on Sunday from Pittsburgh......Rates from New Orleans, as last quoted, were: 35@40c to Louisville and Cincinnati; 50@60c to Pittsburgh, and 20@35c to St. Louis. Molasses to St. Louis and Cairo, $1 per barrel; to Louisville, $1.70; to Cincinnati, $1.70; to Pittsburgh, $2.75; to Paducah, $1.50......The river at St. Louis is full of floating ice and navigation is suspended......The falls at Louisville are navigable, there being five and a half feet of water on them.

—Dr. Thos. J. Griffiths, Surgeon in Charge of the U. S. Marine Hospital at Louisville, Ky., reports the following as the condition of the Hospital under his charge during the month of November, 1874: No. patients remaining the last day of Oct., 73; No. patients admitted during the month of Nov., 52; No. patients treated during the month of Nov., 125; No. patients discharged during the month of Nov., 68; No. patients died during the month of Nov., 2; No. patients remaining on the last day of Nov., 55; No. out-door marine patients treated during the month of Nov., 8; No. private patients treated during the month of Nov., 6. Died: F. H. Hines, rouster, Ironsides; John McNeal, rouster, Grey Eagle.

—The Cincinnati *Gazette* of Monday says: Captain James W. Batchelor, who came down yesterday as pilot of the towboat J. C. Risher, received a dispatch from his brother, Capt. F. Y. Batchelor, asking him to return to Pittsburgh and take the office of the Mollie Ebert. He left by rail last night. Wm. Williamson took the wheel of the J. C. Risher.

—A late St. Louis paper says: Capt. A. C. Cock, late of the Katie P. Kountz, has been appointed superintendent of machinery of the Kountz steamers, and will locate in this city. His family is en route from Brownsville, Pa., the captain's former home. He is a practical engineer, and has commanded several boats with success. A hearty welcome is extended to Capt. Cock and family.

—The Alice has been sold to the Light-house Board by the Missouri River Packet Company. The price paid for the Alice by the Government is $15,000 or $16,000. She will shortly start down the river, commanded by Capt. Carpenter.

—Captain Walton, of the Ida Leon, has been sued by Fitch & Scott, owners of the barge of apples that was sunk on the falls a year ago, for $2,600, they alleging in their petition that he recommended the falls pilot, who was incompetent.

—Capt. Chas. G. Schultze has purchased of Parker, Wise & Co., one-half of the Louisville for $4,500. He will take command, with Captain A. F. Power in the office.

—Capt. P. S. Davidson, general superintendent of the Keokuk Northern Line Packet Company, is in St. Louis, making a close up of the extensive business of that concern for the year past.

—It is said the Idlewild made the run from Cairo to Memphis in 12 hours, an average of 20 miles an hour.

—The R. A. Babbage left St. Louis Saturday night with three barges ore for Wheeling. Mike Kelley and Geo Clark are her pilots.

—The United States Inspectors at New Orleans are having the Empire's cargo weighed in order to discover if that boat was overloaded.

—Com. Kountz was in new Orleans on Thursday of last week.

—Capt. Carr has sold the Hawkeye No 2, to Montgomery for $7,000.

—The Active is off the docks, and has resumed her place in Kanawha River.

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CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD—1 car mdse J P McIntire; 1 car g stone F Ahlen; 1 car lumber E Alcott; 4 cases f fish D W Garratt; 1 keg paint 25 bbls oil G E Palmer; 2 bxs s cases F Pollard; 10 cks p ash Jas Lindsay; 1 car oats Keil & R; 50 bbls paper Pgh Paper Mfg Co; 3 cars o bbls B D Moore; 579 sks wheat J Rose; 55 sks e corn McBane & A; 5 bbls beans 4 tubs butter Jas H Loh & Co; 15 bbls beans 7 do rags 2 cases eggs 1 keg butter Head C & Co; 9 bbls beans 1 bbl eggs Voigt M & Co; 10 rolls leather Wm Flaccus & Son; 100 o bbls C A Wormcastle; 1 car h poles B D Moore; 1 pkg tobacco Pretzfield & N; 1 bbl eggs 1 keg butter J J Pettit & Co; 1 bbl eggs P Duff & Son; 1 box d goods McElroy D & Co; 2 bbls oil Casky & S; 10 do Wm Brashaw & Son; 5 do o meal McIntire & B; 29 pkgs sunds W W Hartzell.

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RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—On and after SUNDAY, Nov. 29th, 1874, trains will leave Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows:

CITY TIME.

MAIN LINE EASTWARD.

PACIFIC EXPRESS daily, except Monday, at 2:51 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 12:05 p. m., Philadelphia 4:15 p. m.; New York 7:35 p. m.

DAY EXPRESS daily, at 7:56 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 3:45 p. m., Philadelphia 7:30 p. m., New York 10:30 p. m., Baltimore 7:30 p. m., Washington 9:20 p. m.

MAIL TRAIN daily, except Sunday, 8:11 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 8:40 p. m.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS daily, at 12:51 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 11:05 p. m.; Philadelphia 3:10 a. m., New York 6:50 a. m., Baltimore 3:2 a. m., Washington 6:20 a. m.

PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS daily except Sunday, 4:21 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 2:25 a. m., Philadelphia 6:50 a. m., New York 10:10 a. m.

FAST LINE daily, at 7:51 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 4:13 a. m., Philadelphia 8:05 a. m., New York 11:15 a. m., Baltimore 7:45 a. m., Washington 9:00 a. m.

WALL'S ACCOMMODATION 6:15, 10:21, 11:46 a. m., 2:41, 5:41, 6:11 and 11:11 p. m. Sunday 12:51 p. m.

BRINTON ACCOMMODATION 6:06, a. m., 5:01 and 9:21 p. m. Sunday 9:21 p. m.

WILKINSBURG ACCOM. 7:16 p. m.

JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION 3:31 p. m.

MAIN LINE WESTWARD.

Trains arrive at Union Depot, as follows, city time:

Mail Train daily, except Monday..........1:21 a. m.
Fast Line daily except Monday..........1:41 a. m.
Pittsburgh Express daily except Monday 6:56 a. m.
Cincinnati Express daily..........7:41 a. m.
Pacific Express daily..........1:41 p. m.
Way Passenger daily..........8:21 p. m.
Wall's Accommodation 9:01, 6:36 a. m., 1:21, 2:41, 5:46 and 7:51 p. m. Sunday 10:01 a. m.
Brinton Accommodation 7:31, 8:21 a. m. and 7:11 and 11:11 p. m. Sunday 7:11 p. m.
Wilkinsburg Accommodation 9:21 p. m.
Johnstown Accommodation 9:41 a. m.

WEST PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION.

From Federal street Depot, Allegheny City, city time.

MAIL TRAIN, connecting for Butler 6:36 a. m.
EXPRESS, connecting for Butler..........2:11 p. m.
FREEPORT ACCOM., 9:16 a. m. and 4:46 p. m.
On Sunday, 12:51 p. m.
SPRINGDALE ACCOM., 11:21 a. m., 6:11, 8:41 and 11:16 p. m.
MARKET TRAIN FOR BUTLER, 3:21 p. m.

Trains arrive at Federal street Depot, city time:

Express, connecting from Butler..........10:21 a. m.
Mail Train, connecting from Butler..........5:46 p. m.
Freeport Accommodation 8:16 a. m. and 1:41 p. m.
On Sunday 9:51 a. m.
Springdale Accom., 6:51 a. m., 3:43, 7:11 and 11:16 p. m.
Market Train from Butler 9:11 a. m.

The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check baggage from hotels and residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the ticket offices, No. 78 Fifth avenue, and the Union Depot.

D. M. BOYD, JR.,
General Passenger Agent.
FRANK THOMPSON, General Manager.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.—On and after MONDAY, Nov. 23d, 1874, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Hulton Accom.	6:40am	Hulton Ac.	6:30am
Buffalo Ex.	7:25am	Night Express	7:00am
Kittanning Ac.	11:30am	Soda Works Ac	8:30am
Hulton Ac.	2:00pm	Kittanning Ac.	10:00am
Titusville Ex.	2:40pm	Hulton Ac.	1:30pm
Kittanning Ac.	4:30pm	Titusville Ex.	3:25pm
Soda Works Ac	5:55pm	Kittanning Ac.	5:40pm
Night Ex.	8:25pm	Pitts. Express.	9:25pm
Hulton Ac.	11:00pm	Hulton Ac.	7:20pm

Buffalo and Night Express trains make direct connections for Buffalo.

Buffalo and Pittsburgh Express daily—on Sundays to and from Oil City only. All other trains daily except Sunday.

Church Train leaves Soda Works at 8:35 a. m., arriving at Pittsburgh at 10:10 a. m.; returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 12:50 p. m., arriving at Soda Works at 2:23 p. m., stopping at all stations.

Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars on Night Express between Pittsburgh and Titusville.

Buffalo Express connects at Red Bank for Brookville, Driftwood, Williamsport and all points on the P. & E. R. R.

Titusville Express North and Pittsburgh Express South connect at Red Bank with train on Sligo Branch for Sligo and Clarion county.

Orders can be left with Excelsior Baggage Company, 78 Fifth avenue, for baggage to be checked from hotels or residences to destination.

Ticket office, No. 78 Fifth avenue and Union Depot.

J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen. Superintendent.
THOS. M. KING, Assistant Superintendent.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY, CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.

On and after Nov. 15th, 1874, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:13am	Atlantic Ex.	2:33am
Chicago Mail	6:13am	Wheeling Ex.	10:53am
Cl.&Wh'g Mail	6:53am	Chicago Ex.	12:28pm
Erie & Asht. Ex.	7:53am	Erie & Ash. Ex.	2:43pm
Chicago Ex.	9:53am	Chicago Mail	3:43pm
Cl.&Wh'g Ex.	1:53pm	Cleveland Ex.	3:53pm
Pacific Ex.	2:13pm	Ch.&St.L. Ex.	7:18pm
Wellsville Ex.	4:28pm	Cl.&Wh'g Ex.	7:33pm
Erie & War Ex.	4:38pm	Erie & Ash. Ex.	11:28pm
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
Beaver Falls Ac.	8:38am	Leetsdale Ac.	6:53am
Leetsdale Ac.	10:28am	Leetsdale Ac.	7:43am
Leetsdale Ac.	12:08pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	8:13am
Sharps. & As. Ac	1:13pm	Enon Accom.	8:48am
Enon Accom.	3:48pm	Sharps. & As. Ac	9:53am
Leetsdale Ac.	5:13pm	Leetsdale Ac.	12:53pm
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:23pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	2:13pm
Leetsdale Ac.	8:28pm	Leetsdale Ac.	4:28pm
Leetsdale Ac.	10:58pm	Leetsdale Ac.	7:43pm
Fair Oaks Sunday Church	12:43pm	Fair Oaks Sunday Church	9:53am

Pacific Express leaves daily. Chicago Express arrives daily.

Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted. Atlantic Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted.

All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.

F. R. MEYERS,
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PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILWAY, (Pittsburgh, Washington & Baltimore "Short Line.")—WINTER ARRANGEMENT. IMPORTANT CHANGES.—On and after SUNDAY, November 29th, 1874, trains on this road will depart and arrive from Depot, corner of Grant and Water Sts., as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Uniontown Ac.	6:30am	McKeesport Ac.	6:45am
Through Mail	8:00am	McKeesport Ac.	7:35am
Mixed Way	9:25am	W. Newton Ac.	8:25am
McKeesport Ac	11:00am	Through Ex.	8:50am
McKeesport Ac.	3:15pm	Uniontown Ac.	10:15am
Uniontown Ac.	3:45pm	McKeesport Ac	12:00 m
McKeesport Ac	4:20pm	McKeesport Ac	2:00pm
W. Newton Ac	5:15pm	McKeesport Ac	6:10pm
McKeesport Ac	6:20pm	Uniontown Ac.	5:40pm
Through Ex.	8:00pm	McKeesport Ac	7:35pm
McKeesport Ac	11:15pm	Through Mail	8:50pm
W. Newton ChT	12:45pm	W. Newton ChT	10:05am

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On and after MONDAY, November 16th, 1874, passengers by this route can leave and arrive as follows:

Leave Pittsburgh at 7:40 a. m. on Erie Express and arrive at Oil City 2:55 p. m.

Leave Allegheny at 1:13 p. m. on Sharpsville Accommodation and arrive at Oil City 8:35 p. m.

Leave Oil City at 6:45 a. m. and by the Erie Express, arrive at Pittsburgh 2:38 p. m.

Leave Oil City at 4:40 p. m. and by the Erie Express, arrive in Pittsburgh 11:28 p. m.

Coupon Tickets for sale at the ticket offices of the P., Ft. W. & C. R. W. Co., at Union Depot and Allegheny City.

A. VANDIVORT, Supt.
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PITTSBURGH, VIRGINIA & CHARLESTON RAILWAY.

On and after MONDAY, Oct. 12, 1874, and until further notice, Trains will leave and arrive at Depot, 226 Carson street, South Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Through Mail	6:10am	Homestead Ac.	7:00am
Monongahela Ac	11:15am	Through Mail	8:30am
Fast Line	3:55pm	Fast Line	10:40am
Homestead Ac.	6:15pm	Pittsburgh Ac.	6:05pm

CHURCH TRAIN leaves Monongahela City every Sunday at 8:00 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:02 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 1:00 p. m., arriving at Monongahela City at 3:05 p. m.

The Express leaves Pittsburgh at 5:15 p. m. on Saturday.

Packets to and from Brownsville make close connection with fast trains to and from Pittsburgh, as follows: Leave Brownsville daily (except Sunday) at 5:00 a. m., connecting with Express, reaching Pittsburgh at 10:40 a. m. Returning, Monongahela Accommodation leaving Pittsburgh at 11:15 a. m. connects with Packet, reaching Brownsville at 5:30 p. m.

Leave orders for Baggage at General Office, 61 Fourth avenue.

JOHN M. BYERS, General Superintendent.
WM. J. ROSE, General Passenger Agent.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS RAILWAY. (Pan Handle Route.)

On and after SUNDAY, November 29, 1874, Trains leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:03am	McDonald's Ac	7:13am
Columbus Mail	7:13am	Washington Ac.	8:23am
Washington Ac.	8:53am	Steubenville Ac.	9:38am
Pacific Express	8:03am	Cincinnati Ex.	7:38am
McDonald's Ac	10:43am	McDonald's Ac	2:03pm
Pittsburgh Ex.	2:13pm	Washington Ac.	3:58pm
Steubenville Ac.	3:28pm	Columbus Mail	12:33pm
Washington Ac.	4:58pm	Fast Line	7:28pm
Mansfield Ac.	6:13pm	Southern Ex.	2:33am
McDonald's Ac	10:58pm	Mansfield Ac.	7:40pm
Sunday Church	12:48pm	Sunday Church	10:03am

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Fast Line and Cincinnati Express arrive daily.

All other trains will run daily, except Sundays.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

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HOME NEWS.

Building Burned.

A frame dwelling house occupied by a man named Coyle and his family, and which was situated in an open field below Forbes street and near the Oakland car station, was burned down yesterday evening about five o'clock. Coyle came home intoxicated and upsetting a lighted lamp set fire to the building. An alarm was turned in from box 87, at the corner of Fifth avenue and Charlotte street, but the steamers did not arrive in time to save much property. A very little bit of furniture was got out of the way of the devouring element. The loss amounts to about $400.

The Humane Society.

At the meeting of the Humane Society yesterday afternoon, but little business was transacted, as all the hard work now devolves on the Executive Committee. Superintendent Street reported a number of instances in which he had ordered street car horses to be put in the stables and not taken out until they have been shod so as to prevent them slipping on the ice. He also referred to a number of other cases which demand attention and said the amount of work to be done is much greater than some imagine.

On motion of Dr. Jennings the Secretary was instructed to have five hundred cards of membership printed.

After some discussion in regard to the Presidency, it was concluded by common consent to leave the position vacant until the annual meeting on the first Wednesday of next month.

The first Tuesday of every month was fixed as the time for holding the regular meetings of the Society.

The Executive Committee will meet this afternoon at half past three o'clock.

Missionary.

Last evening the Rt. Rev. Bishop Whipple, of Minnesota, gave an interesting lecture in Trinity church on the subject of Missions. His remarks were confined to the missionary work of the Church in Minnesota, and he gave a number of interesting facts and statistics showing that there was great encouragement in that field for the willing worker. The Bishop was glad that the Church had taken hold of this promising field with such earnestness, but yet thought the full opportunity there offered was not fully realized. There was need of both men and money, and if the Church went in and possessed the land, the harvest for the toilers would yield the richest fruits. The address was quite as interesting as it was instructive, and impressed one who heard it with the importance of greater exertions in the missionary cause, and the duty of those who did not go out to do the work to maintain the missionary in his arduous work, both by personal sympathy and prayers, and with money sufficient to enable the church to properly enlarge her borders.

The Bishop is a pleasant, earnest speaker, and commands attention by his manner and his matter from the beginning to the close of his discourses.

THE TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT.

An Election to be Ordered to Fill a Vacancy.

A proclamation will be issued by the Governor shortly, ordering an election of a member of Congress from the Twenty-third Congressional District to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge McJunkin, who has been elected to a seat on the bench. It is said the election will take place on the 22d of this month, and as the time given to canvass will be of short duration the contest will not, in all probability, be very exciting.

THE ITALIANS.

Mr. Armstrong's Indebtedness to Them—Work Obtained—The Inquest.

Mr. Charles Armstrong denies the assertion made by Fred Guscetti, and reported in these columns yesterday morning, that he owed the Italians $2,500. He was in their debt to the extent of about $1,000, which he paid yesterday. He also states that upon the arrival of the foreigners on Monday night he had accommodations ready for them though he was not at the depot when they came in.

All the Italians left the city yesterday, some of them going to work at the mines on the Panhandle railroad, and others accepting offers of work in the coal pits of Ohio. They feel that they have been foully wronged; cruelly, unjustly and ungenerously dealt with. And in the harboring of such thoughts they are not alone.

The inquest on the bodies of those who were murdered has not yet been concluded. Testimony was taken all of yesterday by 'Squire Greenwalt and continued last night at the school house at Shaner's Station.

THE POWER'S RUN DIFFICULTY.

The Argument in the Case Postponed Until This Morning—A Force of Men Encamped on the Disputed Grounds.

The argument in the case of the Columbia Conduit Company for an application for an injunction against the West Penn Railroad Company, in reference to the pipe line of the former at Power's Run crossing, was to have taken place in the District Court yesterday morning, but an account of the absence of counsel for the Railroad Company, at the hour appointed for the hearing of the case, the Court postponed the same until this morning. The counsel for the Pipe Line Company said they had no objection to the postponement, provided the arrangement made on Saturday would continue in force, which was to the effect that the Columbia Conduit Company should not be interfered with, in flowing their oil through the pipe.

It is said a posse of five hundred men went to Powers Run yesterday morning over the West Penn Railroad, to protect the interests of the Columbia Conduit Company. From the demands made for provision, cigars, &c. yesterday afternoon, it is thought the men who are stationed upon the grounds will remain for a number of days.

It was reported that several railroad men visited the place yesterday, but there was no trouble among the opposing parties. It is alleged, however, that the railroad company intend removing the pipes to-day if the decision is in their favor, and the probabilities are that in case they undertake such an enterprise there will be lively times in that locality.

There is much interest manifested as to the decision, and no doubt the argument will be listened too by a large crowd this morning.

ALLEGHENY SCHOOL CONTROLLERS.

No Quorum Last Evening—The Attendance at the Night Schools—Superintendent's Report.

The Board of School Controllers of Allegheny City failed to meet last night, there being no quorum. A meeting has not been held since the first Tuesday of September. There are a number of important questions to consider and a pretty large amount of business to dispose of, and in order that the desk may be cleared, it was decided to call a special meeting for next Tuesday evening, when all the members are requested to be present.

The following gentleman were on hand last night: Messrs. Brown, Benney, Craig, Chambers, Donaldson, Eaton, Grubbs, Patton, Golden, Hemphill, Hartman, Haworth, Hay, Lorenz, R. C. Miller, P. H. Miller, McCance, Patterson, Park, Riggs, Ritenour, Sprague, Smith, Trimble, Wilhelm, Young and President King.

While waiting for a quorum City Superintendent Davis read his annual report, detailing the progress made in the schools, and offering a number of valuable suggestions. No disposition was made of it except to lay it over until the next meeting.

Mr. R. C. Miller, from the Committee on Night Schools, was prepared to submit the following report of the attendance of pupils during the month ending the middle of November:

Ward.	*Enrollment.*	*Average Attendance.*	*Per cent. Attendance.*
1	25	25	71
2	105	57	83
3	219	140	68
4	143	107	89
5	87	46	83
6	116	79	67
7	100	63	63
8	16	10	6
9	104	62	68
Col' school	67	46	69

The holiday vacation will commence on the 21st inst. and continue two weeks.

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Over Time of the Captains—Changing the Night Relief, &c.

A regular meeting of the Police Committee was held last night in the Common Council chamber.

Mr. O'Neil presented the petition of James Blondin for an appointment on the police force. Mr. Braun objected on the ground that the Mayor had not appointed Mr. Blondin. It was returned to the Mayor for endorsement. Mr. W. C. Brown submitted the petition of W. S. Work, endorsed by the Mayor, of a similar character, and he was confirmed.

The report of Clerk Hartzell, of the November business of the Mayor's office was received and filed.

A number of bills amounting to $385.67 were read and ordered to be paid.

The monthly pay roll of the police force amounting $15,553.35 was presented, and Mr. Braun objected to its approval because the Captains have charged overtime, and one of them makes thirty-six days for the month of November.

Mr. Thompson moved that the pay roll be approved, with the exception of the extra days, and that the City Attorney be requested to give an opinion as to the right of the city to pay for overtime. Passed.

Mr. O'Neil called up the bill of Capt. S. Lusk for three days' pay while absent from duty by reason of wounds received while in the line of duty. Referred to the Committee on Claims.

He also called up the bill of Black & Patterson for whitewashing and calsomining the station houses, amounting to $262.66, which was ordered to be paid.

Mr. Haines, from the sub-committee appointed to investigate the charges against Chief Irwin, presented a report in writing of their action in dismissing the case. Accepted and the sub-committee discharged.

A resolution protesting against the present hours of duty fixed for the night relief by the Mayor and requesting him to change the hours to those fixed before was adopted.

A resolution requesting the Mayor to make all nominations hereafter to the committee in writing, was also adopted.

Adjourned.

BREVITIES.

Paragraphic Pencilings of Passing Events.

····There is some talk of stopping the Sunday train on the West Penn road.

····A meeting was held in the interest of the poor in the South Side Savings Bank, on Carson street, last night.

····The cases disposed of at the Allegheny Mayor's office last month numbered 203. The receipts from all sources were $224.

····A band of fifteen Indian chiefs passed through yesterday on their way to Washington City. They were in charge of Governor Amy.

····The article of agreement between the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company and its creditors has now received a legal number of signatures.

····Barney Cavanaugh will have a hearing before Alderman Anderson this evening on a charge of setting fire to the house of P. Moran, No. 8 Penn avenue.

····Thomas Dillon, a resident of Third avenue, was robbed on Monday night of two watches and three ten dollar gold pieces, aggregating in value about $250.

····The Allegheny Board of School Controllers is so big and unwieldy that it can seldom get a quorum, except when a row is kicked up. It ought to be reduced.

····A little daughter of Cæser Ley was knocked down and run over on Ohio street, Allegheny, yesterday afternoon, but fortunately escaped with a few bruises.

····A bar meeting of this county, to take action in reference to the death of Ex-Chief Justice Read, late of Philadelphia, will be held in the District Court room at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

····Philip Cullen, who was arrested here on a charge of having stolen $20,000 in Chicago, has arrived safely in the latter city in charge of officer Gray, who took him from Pittsburgh.

····Alderman Schaffer, of the South Side, held a man named Joseph Bowers for a hearing yesterday on a charge of selling coal without having it weighed, as directed by the city ordinance.

····James Sherran was committed to jail yesterday for trial, on a charge of stealing a lot of cigars and a pair of opera glasses from Scott's saloon, on Fifth avenue, after the fire yesterday morning.

····Yesterday afternoon as two boys were driving down Federal street, Allegheny, one of the wheels of the wagon came off, near Park Way, and both the lads were thrown out and badly bruised.

····A meeting of the Womans' Christian Temperance Union was held in Dr. Milligan's church, on Eighth avenue last evening, at which a number of speeches were made by those who favor crusading.

····In the answer of Wm. Smith & Sons to the allegations of W. C. McCarthy, in reference to the pipe contract being secured through undue influences, filed on Monday, the respondents deny the allegations as set forth.

····The saloon and dwelling of James O'Malley, at Mansfield, on the Pandhandle railroad, caught fire yesterday morning about five o'clock and the building was entirely destroyed. There was an insurance of $700 on it.

····It appears that the defenders of the pipe line of the Columbia Conduit Company at Powers' Run are making preparations for an extended stay in their new quarters, as rations are being shipped to their camp in abundance.

····The report of Mayor's Clerk Hartzell for the month of November states that the receipts were $1,878.49, and the number of prisoners confined in the Central Station 689. The receipts of three Deputy Mayors aggregate $200.80.

····A number of Italians have been loafing around in the vicinity of the Union Depot for the last day or two, but the police gave them to understand yesterday, that they would have to transfer their quarters to some other point.

····Fred. Myers, who said he had walked all the way from Matamoras, Mexico, having been driven out on account of his Protestantism, called at the Allegheny Poor Board yesterday for relief. He was on his way to Philadelphia.

····There are suspicions now entertained that the colored man, James Holly who was killed by a overturning of a cart on the Evergreen road, had been abused before his death, by one of his companions, and an investigation is to be made.

····Thomas Thomas, who was charged before Mayor McMasters with having outraged the person of Margaret Maley, had a hearing yesterday and was dismissed. It was shown that he was entirely innocent of the crime alleged against him.

····It will be observed in our Court news that action has been taken in the United States District Court against the Titusville Savings and Citizens bank to throw them into bankruptcy. It is said the liabilities of both institutions are very heavy.

····The following is the amount of business transacted in the Allegheny Postoffice for the last month: Delivered—Mail letters, 74,760; local letters, 4,977; local postal cards, 1,868; papers, 55,660; registered letters, 192. Collected—Mail letters, 35,103; local letters, 2,285; postal cards, 3,403; papers, 2,769.

····The difference between the Commissioners for the improvement of Ellsworth avenue, and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, in regard to the building of a bridge over the railroad tracks has been settled by the Commissioners agreeing to pay $15,000 toward the erection of a bridge or run diagonally instead of straight across.

····A register in bankruptcy will be appointed by Chief Justice Waite to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Hastings Geher, of Chambersburg, Franklin county, for the Sixteenth district of Pennsylvania. Mr. G. was elected to the Legislature at last election, and tendered his resignation as Register, to Judge McCandless yesterday.

····The excursion train to Tarentum on next Monday on the West Penn Road, which will be run for the accommodation of those who desire to witness the flag presentation by the Temperance Alliance of this city, will leave the depot in Allegheny at half-past five o'clock in the afternoon, and will return at fifteen minutes past ten at night.

····During the month of November there were issued from the Dispensary Department of the Homoepathic Hospital, six hundred and eighty-six prescriptions to those too poor to pay for treatment. The dispensary staff made two hundred and seven visits to patients unable to visit the Hospital, making a total of eight hundred and ninety-three prescriptions for the month.

····The following gentlemen were yesterday elected Directors of the Monongahela Insurance Company for the ensuing year: Messrs. Wm. A. Caldwell, John M'Devitt, William Rea, George A. Berry, Robert Dalzell, William Means, James Woodburn, R. H. Palmer, D. S. H. Gilmore, James M'Candless, David M. Smith, Geo. W. Dilworth, David M'Candless, Charles Atwell, Henry Hays.

····The annual election for officers of McKinley Lodge, No. 318, A. Y. M., was held last evening, when the following gentlemen were chosen for the positions designated: W. M., Mr. Joseph H. Elton; S. W., Mr. Wm. Coates; J. W., Mr. Charles Dollinger; Secretary, Mr. George C. Johnston; Treasurer, Mr. Nathan Graham; Trustees, Messrs. Alfred, Slack, John A. Myler, and John K. Brown.

····Christ M. E. Church, this city, is proverbial for its spirit of pratical Christian benevolence,—a fact which was pertinently exemplified yesterday by the shipping of a box of goods for the relief of the sufferers in Nebraska. The box contained clothing, shoes, hats, gloves and a miscellaneous assortment of dry goods, that will bring happiness to some heart, now burdened with suffering and sorrow.

····The jurors summoned for the November term of the United States Circuit Court, before Judge McKennan, were discharged yesterday, the jury trial list having been disposed of. The United States Marshal and his deputy were busily engaged all the forenoon making out the vouchers and paying off the jurors. The term continued about four weeks, during which time a large number of cases came up for hearing.

····Last Saturday a farmer named Carothers was returning home in a wagon, and when going out the Chartiers creek road he espied three men who acted rather suspiciously. Thinking they might do some mischief, he loosed the stay-chain from his wagon, and just as he came up to the party, one of them jumped into the wagon, but did no damage as Carothers struck him on the head with the chain felling him to the ground. The three men fled, and the farmer was allowed to go on unmolested.

····Two of the school teachers in the Tenth ward of Allegheny, who have never been confirmed by the Board of Control because the Board has'nt met for three months, and who have been teaching over a month would like to get their pay, but can't from lack of confirmation. Christmas is coming, and doubtless they would'nt object to receiving their pittance of filthy lucre, particularly if they have any desire to invest in a few knick-knacks for their Juvenile friends.

····Twenty-three unmarried men were discharged on Saturday from the different departments of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, at Cumberland, and yesterday all the track hands and other minor employees of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad were put upon reduced pay—track hands to be paid $1.25 per day. This is less than the price paid laborers on the Pennsylvania Railroad, whose wages were reduced to $1.12 per day of eight hours. The Pennsylvania's rate is fourteen cents an hour—the Baltimore and Ohio's twelve and a half.

····The store of Evan Bedell, at West Elizabeth, was broken into on Sunday night and goods to about the amount of seven hundred dollars were stolen. Three colored men living in the neighborhood of the store were arrested on Monday, and information charging them with robbery was made before Alderman Daniel Briggs, and they were committed to jail for trial at Court. The names of the alleged robbers are Charles Wheaton, Richard Nelson and Moses Haskens. Yesterday morning another colored man, named Thomas B. Thompson, who confessed to having assisted in the robbery, was also committed to jail. Most of the stolen goods have been recovered.

····We have been requested to correct an error which occurred in the Court report of some of the evening papers, wherein Mr. D. W. Lloyd was set down as having been mulcted in damages for an alleged departure from the rules of chastity. The facts in the case, as they are elsewhere detailed in our report, set forth that it was a case of damages sustained by the plaintiff by falling into an excavation, and they are so entirely different from the statement as published that it seems somewhat remarkable how the error could have been made. Mr. Lloyd is a gentleman who stands without blemish in business and social circles, and those who know him would have readily seen there must have been a mistake, but the error is none the less provoking.

THE COURTS.

YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

United States District Court.

(Before Judge McCandless.)

George Ober, Allegheny city, debtor. Petition for the adjudication in bankruptcy of himself filed and referred to Register Shafer.

Lyman Stewart, of Titusville, filed a petition for adjudication in bankruptcy of himself and of William T. Neill, et al., co-partners as "The Titusville Savings Bank."

Joseph J. Holden, of Titusville, filed a petition for the adjudication in bankruptcy of himself and of Wm. A. Abbott, et al., copartners as the Citizens' Bank of Titusville. The above petitions include hundreds of names and the Titusville Savings Bank partners number over fifty. The report of Register Overton, auditor appointed to liquidate the liens of Moses W. Wheelock, was presented and approved.

In the matter of C. Oeser, bankrupt, the petition of the assignee was presented, and the matter referred to Register Shafer for examination and report.

In the matter of Carrier & Baum, bankrupts, of Pittsburgh, the hearing, on a motion for an injunction against John Hill and E. G. Carrier, was continued to the 15th inst.

H. H. Chaney, Erie, bankrupt. On petition of bankrupt, an order was made for a meeting of creditors at the office of Register Woodruff, on the 24th inst., for the purpose of considering and passing upon propositions for settlement.

Fourth National Bank of Pittsburgh vs. C. L. Graff and Robt. McCutcheon, et al., vs. Thomas J. Blackmore. The Court made an order directing that the selection of W. H. Everson and W. H. Smith, as trustees in each of said cases, by the creditors, be recorded, and the statement of assets and debts be filed, the provisions of composition in each case to be binding on all of the creditors, and all the proceedings heretofore had in each case are confirmed absolutely.

Seth W. Payne, bankrupt. The report of Register Overton auditor, appointed to liquidate the liens of Moses W. Wheeloch, a living creditor, and make distriburtion of the money in Court was presented and approved, and the assignee directed to pay the said Wheeloch.

Hastings Geher, Register in bankruptcy of the Sixteenth district, this morning presented his resignation, which was accepted. Mr. Geher is among the recently elected legislators, having been chosen in Franklin county.

U. S. Circuit Court.

[Before Judge McKennan.]

In the case of W. J. Radcliffe, assignee of K. Brett & Sons vs. David Hostetter, a verdict was rendered for the defendant.

District Court.

(Before Judges Ewing, Kirkpatrick and White.)

Mary Garvey vs. D. W. Lloyd; an action to recover damages for alleged injury to the plaintiff. Mr. Lloyd had made arrangements for the erection of some houses on the corner of Miller and Clark streets, and had made excavations for that purpose, into which the plaintiff fell and sprained her wrist. Verdict for the plaintiff for $526.75.

Elizabeth McKean vs. G. W. Elkins, D. W. Bly et al., partners as Elkins, Bly & Co. This is an action brought by the widow of George McKean to recover damages for the death of her husband. The defendants had a lot of oil stored in plaintiffs' cellar. The deceased went into the cellar for the purpose of removing a quantity of water which had collected there. He took with him a candle, which caused an ignition in the cellar. He was fatally burned, and died a short time after the accident. It is claimed by the plaintiff that the oil was below the regulated Fahrenheit, and that the fire was consequent upon this fact. The defendants hold that the oil had been refined before the law regulating the Fahrenheit had been fixed. The case is on trial before Judge Kirkpatrick.

Peter Schott vs. Robert D. King, action on three prommissory notes. Verdict for plaintiff for 405.97.

Jacob Stahl vs. Maple & Culberston; action of replevin. On trial before Judge Ewing.

In the case of Martin Eber vs. Henry Schmidt, a verdict was rendered in favor of the plaintiff for $5.

Trial List for To-day.

Reimenschneider vs. Knierern.
Smith vs. Lindsay.
Weish vs. Krugel.
Dravos' assignees vs. Miller.
Huckestein vs. Scott.
Brister vs. McMullen & Co.
Hart vs. Colvin.
City of Allegheny vs. Wilson.
Lippold vs. Smith.
Dickey vs. Lean et al.
Stockdale for use vs. Keys Bros.
Helper vs. Bowersmith.
Lappe & Weise vs. Coldstrohm.

Common Pleas Court.

(Before Judges Stowe and Collier.)

The argument list still occupies the attention of this Court.

Criminal Court.

(Before Judge Sterrett.)

Anthony Happy was convicted of selling liquor without a license and of selling on Sunday, there being two indictments, on which Thomas Fleming appeared as prosecutor.

Michael Barret and Patrick Barret were tried on three indictments for illegal liquor selling—two for selling to minors, and one for selling on Sunday. On the two indictments for selling to minors, the defendants were acquitted, and Patrick Barret was directed to pay the costs. On the indictment for selling on Sunday, Patrick Barret was convicted. Mary Vaughan was the prosecutor.

Henry Bost was convicted of allowing liquor to be sold on his premises on Sunday, charged by Wm. Adams.

George Ziegler was acquitted of a charge of larceny as bailee, preferred by Jeanette Schintog.

N. Steiner pleaded *nolo contendere* to selling liquor on Sunday, charged by Wm. Adams.

A *nolle pros.* was allowed in two indictments against Wm. H. Brooks for selling liquor to minors, charged by William J. Backhouse.

A *nolle pros.* was allowed in the case of Jacob Dolon, indicted for selling liquor on Sunday, on oath of Wm. Adams.

S. J. Spalding was acquitted of assault and battery, charged by T. J. Holmes, and the costs were equally divided.

A *nolle pros.* was allowed in the case of S. C. Boley, of the First ward, Pittsburgh, indicted for selling liquor on Sunday, on oath of Matthew Keep.

A *nolle pros.* was allowed in the case of James Arthurs, of the Twenty-ninth ward, Pittsburgh, indicted for selling without license, it appearing that the defendant had a license transferred to him. Wm. Fees was the prosecutor.

A *nolle pros.* was allowed in the case of Thomas McDonough, of the First ward, Pittsburgh, indicted for selling liquor without license. Matthew Keef was the prosecutor.

Robert McKelvey, of the Tenth ward, Pittsburgh, pleaded *nolo contendere* to selling liquor without license, charged by Henry Coates.

P. Monaghan of the Third ward, Allegheny City, was convicted of selling liquor without license. D. S. McKnight was the prosecutor.

A *nolle pros.* was allowed in the case of Dennis F. Tracey, indicted for aggravated assault and battery, on oath of Patrick Manning.

A *nolle pros.* was allowed in the case of John Schnelt, of the First ward, Pittsburgh, indicted for selling liquor without license, on oath of Matthew Keep.

John Amman was allowed to withdraw a former plea, and plead *nolo contendere* to a charge of selling liquor on Sunday, preferred by James W. Hamilton.

Trial List for To-day.

Commonwealth vs.

James Cauley,	Charles Horbach,
M. Williams,	V. Hammill,
Andrew Dalzell,	Peter Jacasio,
M. Eichenlaub,	S. M. James,
Henry Tool.	Samuel Brown.
Robert Fife.	

ALLEGHENY POLICE.

Deficiency in the Appropriation—Necessity of Reducing This Month's Wages or Discharging Six Men.

The Police Committee of Allegheny Councils met last evening and approved the monthly pay-roll, amounting to $3,799 13.

A communication was submitted from Controller Brown, showing the condition of the appropriation of the committee as follows:

Annual appropriation	$45,233 64
Amount expended to date	37,889 37
Balance on hand	$ 7,344 27

After deducting the pay-rolls and bills approved last night, there will only be about $3,500 left. This will not be sufficient to pay the force for the present month and the other monthly expenses. The committee, seeing this, directed the Mayor to discharge six of the policemen, and then there will be just sufficient to pay the balance of the men. His Honor stated that he didn't like to reduce the force, and offered to make a proposition to the men, to the effect that if each man would accept a reduction of seven dollars in next month's pay, then none need to be discharged. The committee agreed to the proposition, and at roll-call last evening the Mayor laid the matter before the force, and allowed them until this evening to decide whether they would accept the reduction just for one month, or allow six of their number to be discharged. At roll-call this evening the force will take a vote on the proposition.

Special Notice.

In addition to our business of manufacturing Superior Crackers, we are now putting up in 6 lb sacks a very superior article of Self Raising Flour and Buckwheat. The object of self raising flour is to save the housekeeper the trouble and expense and often uncertainty of using soda, acid or baking powder. With self-raising flour or buckwheat you do not require any yeast, soda, salt, acid or baking powder to produce Biscuit, Cake of any kind, Dough-nuts, Puddings, Pastry or Griddle Cakes. The self-raising is fully mixed with the flour by machinery, so that every particle of flour has its particle of self-raising. You can use your own receipts or those printed on every sack of the flour. With buckwheat, all that is required to produce the lightest of cakes, is to take our self-raising buckwheat flour and make a batter with water and bake at once on a hot griddle. With our Flour and Buckwheat, your Biscuit, &c., will always be the same. This flour, as well as our Superior Crackers and small Cakes, will be found at all the grocers; also at the factory, 91 and 93 Liberty street. We have on hand and for sale the largest stock of Buckwheat Flour in the city, which we will sell in bags as it comes from the mill.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Pittsburgh Opera House.

Those who saw *Camille* played a few weeks ago and who witnessed it again last night must have recognized how immeasureably superior is Miss Clara Morris' personation of the character. Her acting is so great and possessed of such a high order of merit that even the bad points in the character of such a woman as *Camille* are altogether lost sight of in admiration of the actress' eminent dramatic power and genius. She is a wonderful woman, born to tread the stage and delight the world in her unsurpassed representations of life's phases, good and bad, and to delineate with a power and passion but few can display, the sorrows and the joys, the hopes and ambitions that live and die in so many bosoms, and which find in her one of their greatest and grandest exponents.

Mr. J. W. Norton, who, as *Armand*, supports Miss Morris, is a polished and graceful actor, and his excellent performance last night won him many encomiums and much applause. The members of the Company sustained their parts very well.

"Camille" will be repeated to-night.

The Fourth Entertainment.

The fourth entertainment under the auspices of the Library Association for this season, was that given last night, when Mr. James Steele Mackaye was the attraction. The gentleman came from the East with high recommendations, but as several humbugs, this season have presented credentials of a similar character, the people were rather chary of accepting anything short of an actual knowledge of the gentleman's abilities. For that reason, although there was a good paying audience gathered last night, it was not such a one as would have assembled had Mr. Mackaye's merits been fully known, for he deserved, and would again, we believe, attract an audience that would fill the house to overflowing. The lecture, or discourse, was one of that peculiar kind, that could more easily be represented by picturing than by description. He treated of the mystery of emotion and the art of dramatic expression, and interspersed his limpid, though somewhat metaphysical dissertation with illustrations of the emotions called into play in depicting the varied passions of the human heart. In developing his idea, he exhibited his marvelous power of facial expression, and of posturing, and in all showed a perfect discipline, united to a thoroughly intelligent understanding of the passion which he at any time represented. He gave a number of instances of the humorous, the pathetic, the tragic, the sentimental, styles of expression, accompanied with explanatory remarks of each, that made his performance highly entertaining as well as instructive. It would perhaps be difficult to say in which particular selection he gave proof of highest excellence, but if there was any special superiority it was in his rendition of that difficult recitation, "Hamlet's Soliloquy," which was an elocutionary effort of rare power and finish. The programme throughout, however, was almost equally enjoyable and Mr. Mackaye with the lecture-going public of our city, will have appreciative friends, at any time he may again visit the city.

Kellogg English Opera.

The Kellogg English Opera Company will open the season at Library Hall, to-morrow evening, in Verdis' beautiful opera "Trovatore," following it up with the charming and romantic opera "Mignon," Friday evening, "The Marriage of Figaro" at Saturday's matinee, and concluding, for the first time in America, in English, with Verdis grand opera of "Ernani." As our readers will see, the splendid repertorie offered us is one of brilliant attraction, and embraces those operas in which Miss Kellogg has won her principal laurels and in which she sings with resplendent fervor and brilliancy. Besides, a glance at the other favorite names composing the grand company gives ample indication of operatic rendition of the very highest order of merit. Kellogg, Seguin, Van Zandt, Castle, Maas, Carleton, and Hamilton, are names that we know pale before none in their respective *roles*. A few more desirable seats may be secured if application is made to-day.

Opera Bouffe Next Week.

The celebrated Aimee Opera Bouffe Company, which is to appear at Library Hall next week, will remain with us but five days, instead of the entire week, as at first announced, having since made arrangements, by special request, to give one of their inimitable entertainments at Wheeling, on Thursday evening. This will necessitate a slight change in the programme, but wherein Pittsburgh loses, our Wheeling friends will be the gainers. The sale of seats for the five nights and the Saturday matinee will commence on Thursday morning at Hale's music store, and from the frequent inquiry already made we judge there will be a rush to secure the most desirable locations, notwithstanding all parts of the hall are good. The programme is quite varied and all the pieces are decidedly spicy and entertaining.

Concert at the Pittsburgh Female College.

We are requested to extend a cordial invitation to the patrons and friends of the Pittsburgh Female College to attend a vocal and instrumental concert, in the College chapel, to-morrow (Thursday) evening, at 7:30. The entertainment promises to be unusually good, and a rich treat is in store for those who attend. We need not urge those to go who know what really excellent entertainments are given at the College.

Dramatic and Musical Notes.

AIMEE is a young and dashing widow.

CLARA MORRIS appears in her great character of *Camille* this evening at the Opera House.

PATTI in Moscow and Nilsson in St. Petersburg. The Russians are getting to be blarsted monopolists.

THE popular comedian, Mr. John S. Clarke, is at Booth's this week. He is Edwin Booth's brother-in-law.

MR. P. C. HERRIOTT, the husband of Clara Morris, was the observed of all observers at the Opera House last evening.

MR. JOHN W. NORTON made a decided hit last night at the Opera House as *Armand Duval*, in "Camille." He plays the same character to-night.

IN Milwaukee they have experience, and they say that when Olive Logan acted people wished she would lecture; when she lectured they wished she would act.

A CINCINNATI critic mistakes the leader of an orchestra for an engineer on an Ohio River steamboat. He recommends the wielder of the baton "to keep a firm hand on the throttle valve."

THE announcement that Albani was married before leaving London to Mr. Gye, son of the manager of Convent Garden Theater, is denied by Albani's father, who says that Albani is not married nor engaged to be married.

PETROLEUM.

Principal Wells Struck During November.

The Oil City *Derrick* gives the following list of the principal wells struck at the front during the month of November, with the amount of oil which each was reported as producing at the time when first struck: November 1, J. D. Dean well, Hays farm, dry; November 2, Taylor & Satterfield, No. 2, Sidney Crawford farm, 1,500 barrels; November 2, Grace No. 2 Graham farm, 150 barrels; November 2, Overy well, Ritzert farm, 10 barrels; November 2, Taylor & Satterfield, McGinley farm, small; November 7, Kern No. 1, Snow farm, 500 barrels; November 8, H. L. Taylor & Co., Fisher farm, 100 barrels; November 8, Bulger well, Graham farm, small; November 9, Meade No. 2, 500 barrels; Bradley & Chambers No. 3, 300 barrels; November 10, Wyatt well Barnhart farm, 100 barrels; November 10, McVay well, Seibert farm, dry; November 11, Kern well, Wicker farm, 500 barrels; November 11, Capt. Grace No. 3, Fitzger & Myers, 200 barrels; Argue well, Neff farm, 30 barrels; November 18, Brownson No. 3, Boyd farm, small; November 19, McKinney & Gailey, McGinley farm, 130 barrels; November 19, F. Prentice well, E. Barnhart farm, old third sander, drilled deeper, small; November 26, H. L. Taylor & Co.'s well, Geible farm, 100 barrels; November 24, Bennett No. 2, Graham farm, 100 barrels; November 24, Diviner No. 5, 100 barrels; November 27, Kitty Ann well, Jenkin's farm, 200 barrels.

These wells would have added over four thousand barrels to the daily production had they kept at the figures quoted above. We may say, however, that the decline in the first figures is fully half, so that the real addition to the daily production during the month of November was about 2,500 barrels.

We call the attention of our country readers more especially to the card, in another column, of Messrs. Robinson Brothers, bankers.

This firm has sought by carefully selecting the class of securities that they were willing to commend to their customers, to build up a reputation for prudent and honorable dealing. They have, we think, reason to congratulate themselves that of the host of railway bonds, now in default for interest, they neither accepted agencies or sold any of them to their customers.

They deal largely in strictly first-class securities, and are prepared to furnish the most reliable information in reference to investment stocks and bonds that can be obtained. Parties wishing to purchase or sell would do well to call, or write to them, before dealing elsewhere.

Fair or Foul.

External circumstances have no effect in diverting some men from their business pursuits and chief among this number is Thomas Davage, the old Blockmaker, who is constantly at his post in the manufactures of all kinds of blocks and pumps for barges and steamboats. Blocks light or heavy, heavy purchase blocks for railroads, new and old style blocks made of the best possible material, of an undoubted durability of workmanship and at the lowest prices that excellence will admit of No. 57 First avenue.

European Steamship Arrivals.

A dispatch received at Max Schamberg's European steamship, exchange and telegraph office, at No. 163 Smithfield street, announces the arrival of the steamer Spain at New York; steamer French at New York; steamer Baltic at Queenstown.

The Most

Extraordinary bargains ever offered in Pittsburgh in organs and pianos are certainly being offered now at S. Hamilton & Co.'s. Just see their card in another column.

Ladies Watches.

Flat back, Oral, Stem and Key winding Ladies Gold Watches all prices, at Geo. W. Biggs, No. 159 Smithfield street, four doors above Sixth avenue.

$10 to $1,000 invested in Stocks and Gold pays 200 per cent. a month. Send for particulars. Tumbridge & Co., Bankers, Wall St., N. Y. d&S

CITY FISCAL AFFAIRS.

Controllers' November Report—The Receipts and Expenditures Last Month.

The report of Controller Snodgrass of the receipts and disbursements in behalf of the city during the month of November is as follows:

Diamond Market	$ 4,036 75
Fifth Ward Market	3 60
Fifth Avenue Market	208 71
South Side Market	871 45
Street engineering	1,891 09
City weigh scales	530 61
Monongahela wharf	450 00
Allegheny wharf	203 00
South Side wharf	200 00
Interest—bank balances	702 27
Building inspection	264 50
City gauging	225 00
Weighing coal—private scales	213 88
City tax, 1874	11,575 09
Fire tax, 1874	2,805 00
Old city special tax, 1874	650 00
Lawrenceville special tax, 1874	150 00
Business tax, 1874	3,075 00
Water rents, 1874	6,000 00
Water rents, 1873	1,288 75
Streets, grading and paving	17,737 06
Viewing	17 87
Vehicle licenses	35 00
Water Works	96 00
Mayor's office, Hon. Blackmore	4,396 86
Water Works interest and sinking fund tax, 1874	4,300 00
Amount allowed by Water Com. for lowering pipe to Water Works	18,075 52
Receipts from boro. Lawrenceville, reported by Treasurer	11,066 64
Street and sewer impr't fund, under 50 per cent ordinance	16,438 61
Streets, grading and paving, South Side	7,863 79
Street improvement under Penn Avenue Act	7,189 42
Borough Ormsby, special tax	100 00
Borough East Birmingham, special tax, 1874	400 00
Borough Mt Washington, special tax, 1874	50 00
Borough West Pittsb'g special tax, 1874	130 00
Temporary Loan Bonds	37,800 00
Accrued int. temp. Loan Bonds	325 96
Municipal Consol'd Loan Bonds	153,231 75
Borough East Birmingham receipts	5,628 29
Total	$320,227 38
EXPENDITURES.	
Interest	$ 28,272 50
Salaries	4,183 29
Printing	148 60
Fire department	14,964 45
Police	16,660 13
Water works	9,281 34
Streets	11,367 21
Diamond market	580 25
Fifth ward market	25 00
Fifth avenue market	98 71
South Side market	219 66
Monongahela wharf	501 89
South Side wharf	158 34
Contingent	4,041 25
City scales	100 00
East End Gas Co	3,796 95
City property	1,515 36
South and West Side Gas Co	2,478 45
Finance	159 25
Roads	5,935 62
Surveys	890 23
Water extension	97,030 47
Water bonds, interest	1,477 00
Street and sewer improvements, under 50 per cent ordinance	8,555 47
Board of Health	2,191 71
South Side streets	7,845 85
South Side indebtedness	2,300 00
Old municipal bonds, 1849, retired	2,600 00
Lawrenceville bonds, &c., retired by Treasurer	8,539 17
South Side bonds, retired	23,179 38
	$258,497 53
Balance in Treasury, Nov. 1, 1874	$166,141 66
Receipts for Nov	320,227 38
Total	$486,369 04
Disbursements in Nov	$258,497 53
Balance in Treasury, Dec. 1, 1874	227,871 51
Deposited in city depositories, Dec. 1, 1874	227,871 51

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Arrivals at the Principal Hotels from Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and Western Virginia.

UNION DEPOT HOTEL.

J. N. Garrison, Brookv'e	Mrs. Wilson, Parkers.
W. A. Clark, do	J. A. Chalfant, do
T. P. McCrea, do	J. R. Pierce, Sharpsb'g.
S. S. Myers, Phila.	Mrs. H. V. Painter, Kittanning.
C. Hunter, do	
C. E. Young, do	Mrs. G. F. Crawford, Kittanning.
J. K. Taggart, Connellv.	
Mrs. J. R. Campbell, Oil City.	J. Slacker & l, Steubenv.
	H. R. Schwertzer, Allentown.
J. J. Fink, Oil City.	
A. D. Richards, St. Petersburg.	F. Holton, New Castle.

ST. CLAIR HOTEL.

D. M. Shuck, Bedford.	E. L. Gillespie, Enon Valley.
Grener Bros, Phila.	
J. Hullner & w, Phila.	W. Dunlap, Mercer.
J. S. Duncan, do	W. L. Fleming, Mercer.
B. Barcus, do	R. Thompson, Templet'n
Mrs. Wise, Darlington.	W. M. Saint, E. Palest'.
J. Lenz, Economy.	A. Y. Findley, Franklin.
	R. Charles, Washington.

CENTRAL HOTEL.

J. N. Miller, FayetteCity.	R. Charlten & w, Wash'n.
J. Lambert & w, Greensf'd.	F. Graham, Wheeling.
M. Ewells, California.	J. Hamilton, do
W. H. Hansell, Phila.	M. B. Stoffer, Connellv'le.
A. Beck, do	J. Wilhelm, do
C. R. Froth, do	J. Maloy, Emlenton.
A. McElvy, do	M. D. Christy, do
S. P. Parke, do	W. Swisshelm, Swissvale.
J. R. Thomas, Youngst'n.	O. C. Bollinger, Oil City.

PERSONAL.

***Dr. Gale French will leave this morning for Columbus, Ohio, to attend the Ohio Dental Association.

***C. G. Foster, Esq., correspondent of that real live Western journal, the St. Louis *Globe*, paid our sanctum a brief visit yesterday. He leaves for the Eastern cities this morning.

***Judge Kirkpatrick, of the District Court of Pittsburgh, who presided at our Court last week, in the absence of Judge Hall, won for himself golden opinions from the members of the bar and the public generally. The unusual readiness with which he comprehended the cases brought before him, the clear, concise and impartial character of his charges and rulings, and his uniform courtesy to attorney and client while on the bench drew forth the admiration of all our citizens. While off the bench his genial and gentlemanly conduct toward every one, made him a most agreeable companion and secured for him a host of friends. Should occasion ever require his return to Somerset, he will meet with a warm and generous welcome by our people.—*Somerset Democrat.*

A BOLD ROBBERY.

Over Six Hundred Dollars Stolen.

Yesterday morning about four o'clock, a sneak thief robbed a number of passengers in a sleeping coach attached to the No. 4 Eastern bound express train on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, near Crestline, Ohio.

It appears that when the train left Chicago, that everything was considered all right, and the passengers retired at the usual time, and nothing wrong was discovered until they had almost reached Crestline. At this point it was ascertained that the thief had passed through the car, and had taken the pocket books from the pockets of half a dozen passengers and relieved them of their contents after which they were returned to their pockets. Upon examination it was found that over six hundred dollars had been stolen, and that the perpetrator of this bold act had escaped without being detected. It is believed that he used chloriform upon his victims, and thereby accomplished his purpose without being caught in the act of stealing.

There was much complaint made upon the part of the passengers, but they were unable to attach the blame to any certain individual.

The Library Lottery, Postponed.

The postponement of the Louisville drawing will be welcome news to those who have not already invested, and parties may save enough before the last day of February, by buying their boots and shoes at Taggarts, No. 129 Federal street, Allegheny city, to secure them one or two-tenths in this enterprise. Buy here at any rate, and realize the difference between buying at wholesale and retail rates. Taggart has no retail prices. A single pair of boots or shoes sold at wholesale rates.

Delicious Fresh Fish.

Mr. B. F. Pulpress, No. 45 Diamond Market, has a great variety of fresh Fish constantly on had, such as White Fish, Salmon, Black Bass, White Bass, Yellow Bass, Mackinaw Trout, Halibut, Rock Fish, Striped Bass, Blue Fish, Catfish, Eels and fresh Codfish steaks. The deep sea Oyster, considered such a luxury, always on hand. Oysters, large, heavy and of high flavor.

Ladies Watches.

The largest assortment of Ladies Gold Watches in the city to be found at Geo. W. Biggs, No. 159 Smithfield street, four doors above Sixth avenue.

You Can Buy an Organ

Now at S. Hamilton & Co.'s at actually less than wholesale factory prices. Just see their card of prices in another column.

Dr. Gale French,
DENTIST,
258 Penn avenue.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

OFFICIAL LIST.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, December 2, 1874.

The following letters remain uncalled for in the Pittsburgh Postoffice, WEDNESDAY, December 2, 1874.

To obtain any of these letters, the applicant must call for advertised letters, giving the date of the list.

If not called for within four weeks they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

Ladies' List.

Adams Mrs
Adelman E
Allwood O
Ashton M B
Aull W J
Becker S
Bitts A
Black L
Bohnert S
Bucknalter P W
Buddiss N 2
Cain J
Callahan M
Camp A
Campe A B
Canedy M
Carson M
Clean T
Crosley J
Crawford R
Dalzell A A
Daughaty K
Davis A
Darcy G
Dean M
Down K
Dyer M
Early M
Evlith F
Ewing E
Fay Emma
Fisk Md'le
Fisher W
Fitch E
Foster L
Gardner M
Green G
Griffin M
Hale T H
Haley M
Hallebaugh M
Hargnett M
Haskins C C
Haywood A
Healy M
Hellin C
Hoef S
Hollobaugh M
Houghton G for
Hull R L
Henry M for 3
Jordon M E
Jones C
Johnston H E
Keegan M
Kerr M
Kennedy M
Kearney K
Kircher T R
Landis A R
Leslie A J
Little V B
Lion J
Ligborne L
Louther E
Low F
Lyons C
Maley M
Magonigle M
Maclean K
Mead L
Miller G
Morgan Mrs
Myers I
McCarthy A
McClarren M
McClelland Mrs
McDonough M
McKeon M
McWilliams M
O'Reilly A
Patterson J M
Pierson M F
Pollock K
Punning M J
Quinn J
Reed M E
Redd M
Reno M
Richards M C
Robeson S
Senour E
Senour F L
Shaw J
Sheldon M
Shautz C A
Shrontz C
Smith M
Stauffer M
Stenger M
Straussen S
Taylor W C
Taylor M W
Thomas M
Thursby E for
Van Gilder L
Wallace M F
Wagoner G M
Walton L
Wilson E
Wilson E R
Woods L
Wright H
Wrighter E
Yahn D

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, December 2, 1874.

Gentlemen's List.

Adams Jenny
Addis M
Appelbe John
Arnold Geo H
Baer John
Baer Jacob
Bagby Winston
Baker Thos
Barnes J S
Barratt G M
Barber Jno
Barnes C C
Beckham J E
Beshure Ed
Bergman Jno
Bimmerstein M
Bird Jacob
Bloon Mr
Blackshaw S C
Bowman W P
Boyd R A
Pottom Jno
Brown Jos
Bringard John
Ballock Jno W
Butler Rich
Burnes Frank
Burwell Wm
Canfield Jno
Campbell Jno 2
Carmack Mr
Carey Michl
Cavauer And
Cary Jas H
Carson B D
Carlisle D C
Caragher P
Carlisle C B
Cissera C
Chandler D H 2
Clyde Jno M
Clansal Dr
Clark Geo
Cooper W H
Coll Geo
Colley L J
Coyle Fd
Coursin F H
Corbett Geo
Coulter Thos
Craft Chas J
Cratty John H
Crofford John
Crofford Wm B
Crofford Wm J
Cunningham Geo H
Cunningham W F
Dummitt L D
Day Saml
Davis Jas A
Davis John
Dew Wm E
Dewrose Peter
Dickener Wm S
Donnelly Jno F
Duncan R
Duggan Jno (Stonemason)
Dunbar Geo W
Dunlap T A A
Elliott Thos
English Saml
Farley W F
Fink John
Fitsemons Robt
Ferguson Wm T
Feeser John L
Fitch Cyrus
Fletcher John
Flynn Thos
Frenchey I K
Fulkeizer J M
Fuller A J
Friend Rich'
Garron Jno
Gaffney Jno
Gabler Jno C
Gee A H
Gillgen Jacob
Gonder Ed
Gruiser R V
Greene V
Halliday Jos
Hallman A
Halsey C F
Hancock J S
Harrison H S
Hartman Wm
Hartman E S
Hart P S
Hays J
Hassan M
Hastings C O
Hase J
Herzberg J S
Heist Geo
Hienlen W B
Hicks Dr J B
Hipple C E
Hickcox G H
House A F
Howard E O
Horn F
Hughes J
Hulbreck P
Hum K
Jamison J
Jack J
Joyce Wm
Jones J H
James W S
Johnson Jno
Johnson J F
Johnson C R
Keelan B
Kenna Jos
Kerr J M
Kirker E B
Kinked A
Kirchua V
Kimball H
Knight H B
Lewis Thos
Leagill Wm
Leavitt E A
Lewis H
Lawler
Lindsay J M
Lopet J McC
Lowter Wm
Longeragan T
Lohman F
Lynn Dr C C
Maldlow C
Mahan Jno
Mackly Mr
Mallen Jas
Maddren S J
Marks S 2
Masey F
Matthews A
Metz F
Meek Wm
Meier Geo
Martin D
Miles Wm
Millblon Jas
Minick Prof F
Miller Jas
Miller G L
Miller E F
Molonux M
Morrison D R
Moore H B
Myers Hon R F
Myers Jno
Mudge J H
Muller G
Mulholland J
Musser D I
McCance Jno
McCaugherty Mr
McClong T R
McClemie Mr
McCracken R
McCracken H G
McCoy M O
McIntire Mr
McGowan R J
McGill F
McKinnell T A
McKee G Y
McKennie F
McKay Jas
McLaan George
Neville Mast W
Nickum Martin
Oliver Richard
Ostheimer Sol'n
Page W H
Parento Henry
Parker Chas A
Pierce Dr A J
Porter Moses
Porter Charles
Price Jno
Price A L
Provost P L
Proctor D W
Quinn Mr
Rayburn Wm F
Ramsey J D
Reed W A
Reed Edward
Reese D R
Ress Franz
Rhodes Abe
Riley Pat
Ringeman Jos
Ritter J L
Richards Geo T
Roogan James
Rowan F M
Roschian Morris
Ross Wm B
Robison John L
Robinson Joseph
Ruhe John
Ryan Stephen
Sanes Jno W
Scoot Siene
Schwartz Ernest
Schwertle Math
Schneider Henry
Schaupp Jacob
Schroder Aug T
Schanzenbach C
Septien D
Shook Harry A
Sharp Wm C
Shortlidge H M
Short John
Smeigh J A
Simen G R
Siberts G D
Smith Wm
Smith A H
Smith August
Sanire Ainsw'th
Spargs L G
Spero Charles
Sjaib Louis
Stanton Thos H
Sterrett Frank H
Standing Wm
Stacy Thomas
Stephens Edw L
Stewart D A
Strock M L
Sweeney M L
Thompson J A
Thomas E H
Tomlison A S
Trunick Jas
Towl Wm
Truxal J C
Turner Wm
Upgraft T M
Vanemore Rev T B
Voelkel Jno
Wander Runo
Wallace W H
Wenger Joel
Weibo Wm
Wedgenvad Wm
White Andy
Whittle Major D W
Winn Geo
Wise Martin
Winser L
Weinberg M
Wilson E G
Wilson Robt
Williams Ang
Williams J H
Williams N S
Williams Jas
Williams Col E

FIRMS.

Andrews & Co 2
Arthurs & Son T S
Adams & Co W
Baldwin & Giddy
Bailey & Co J J
Briggs & CoWH
Cochran & Co T
Doughett & Co J W
Fox, Sons & Co Chas
Fitch & Co E
Fricke & Welsh
Guenther & Edmunson
Himman Bros
Judson & Bell
Johnson & Co
Laurence & Co A B
Meyers, Henry & John
Jones & Metzgan
Meyers, Henry & John
Muller & Lindsay
McKee & Douglass
Park, Burlor & Co
Saint, Bros & Ch
Smith & Co Jas
Sutler & Co
Sherman & Kennedy
Warner & CoJM

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Box 1079
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Cap S B Tom Dodsworth
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Ed Boy Telegraph
German SickAid Society
German Sav Institute
Johnston C C Steel Co
Montgumeries Glass Works
Porcelain Cylinder Co
Sunday Times
Pgh Oil Co

E. C. NEGLEY, P. M.

ADDITIONAL RIVER NEWS.

CINCINNATI, December 1.—River 14 feet; falling. Fair and mild. The *Gazette* specials report the Kanawha and tributaries rising. Arrived—Shippers Own, Evansville; R. R. Hudson, Wheeling. Departed—Marie Louise, New Orleans; Hudson, Wheeling.

EVANSVILLE, December 1.—Clear and mild; mercury 35 to 48. River risen 1 and 8-10 feet; 7 and 1-10 feet on gauge. Down—Kountz, 8 P. M.; Hegler, 10; J. Parker, 4 A. M.; John Means, 2 P. M.; Warner and barges, 4; Messenger and Tarascon, 6; Exporter, 7. Up—F. H. Gracey, 3 A. M.; Roberts and Arkansas Belle, 6. Business light. The Means cracked a side pipe, and returned here from Scuffletown to repair. She gets off to-night.

MEMPHIS, December 1.—River rose 9 inches. Clear and pleasant. Arrived—Minneola, Cincinnati. Departed—Grand Tower and St. Joseph, St. Louis; Robt. Mitchell, Cincinnati; Capitol City, Vicksburg; Augusta, White river; Ella and Clarksville, Arkansas river.

LOUISVILLE, December 1.—River about on a stand, with 7 feet 6 inches in the canal and 5 feet 6 inches in chute. Weather moderating. Arrived—J. S. Neel and tow, Pomeroy; Raven and tow, Cairo; Kanawha and tow, Pomeroy. Departed—Neel and tow, Paducah.

CAIRO, December 1.—Arrived—A. P. Kountz, Cincinnati, 6 P. M. River 11 feet 11 inches; falling. Clear and warm; mercury 54.

DIED.

VAN BUREN—On Tuesday morning, December 1st, at 6 o'clock, JOHN MARTIN, son of Conrad and Eva Van Buren, aged 17 years, 8 months and 22 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his brother, No. 500 Penn avenue, on THURSDAY, at 2 o'clock.

HAUCK—On Tuesday morning, at 5½ o'clock, CHARLES E. B., son of Fred. J. and Mattie E. Hauck, aged 3 years and 4 months.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his parents, No. 233 Centre avenue, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock.

MILLER—On Tuesday morning, December 1st, 1874, WILLIAM MILLER, aged 62 years.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, Bellevue borough, on THURSDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. Carriages will leave Fairman & Samson's office, 135 Sandusky street, Allegheny City, at 1 P. M., sharp.

BRILL—On Tuesday morning, December 1st, at 3:30, SAMUEL K. BRILL, son-in-law of Mrs. Davis, in the 35th year of his age.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

HAMMOND—On Tuesday, December 1st, 1874, at 12 o'clock M., HUGH HAMMOND, in the 85th year of his age.

Notice of funeral will be given hereafter.

BYRNES—On Tuesday evening, December 1st, at the residence of his father, 43 Spring alley, Pittsburgh, Rev. JAMES BYRNES, in the 26th year of his age.

Notice of funeral in evening papers.

BARLOW—On Monday, November 30th, at 10 o'clock P. M., GEORGE W. BARLOW, only son of Alice and Wm. Barlow, aged 1 year, 9 months and 2 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his parents, 37th ward, late Wilkinsburg, TO-DAY, at 2 P. M. Carriages will leave W. H. Devore's, 104 Grant street at 12:15.

COLEMAN—November 29, M. W. COLEMAN, at his mother-in-law's, 288 Lacock street, Allegheny, aged 36 years.

Funeral TO-DAY, between 2 and 3 P. M., from 288 Lacock street, Allegheny.

JONES—On Saturday evening, November 28th, at 6:45 o'clock, MATTHEW JONES, aged 68 years.

The funeral service will be held at his late residence, No. 36 Diamond, THURSDAY, at 1 o'clock, and at the Wylie Street A. M. E. Church, at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

DEAN—On Sunday evening, at 10:15 o'clock, Miss MARY M., daughter of Richard Dean, aged 27 years.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her father, No. 654 Penn avenue, WEDNESDAY, December 2d, 1874, at 2 P. M. Funeral services at Fourth Presbyterian Church, corner of Twenty-fourth and Penn streets, at 2:15 P. M.

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Funerals from the city by either rail or carriages. Applications for lots can be made to A. WALKER, Superintendent, at the Cemetery, or at the City Office, 187 Liberty street.

J. L. MARSHALL,
Secretary and Treasurer.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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ASSETS, $3,075,762.25.
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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Filed for Record.

The following deeds were filed for record since our last report:

Henry B. Diamond and wife to A. M. Brown, June 28, 1873; lot in Verona borough. Consideration ... $1

Joel Bedell to Margaret J. Bedell, November 19, 1874; all the bituminous coal underlying tracts of land in Jefferson township, containing 52 acres and 26 perches, more or less—55 acres and 1 perch, more or less—112 acres, 19 perches and 298 acres, with buildings. Consideration ... $1

Quit claim deed from Samuel Craig and wife to John Campbell, September 11, 1874; lot in Lower St. Clair township. Consideration ... $10

William Walton et ux. to E. W. Straw, November 28, 1874; irregular lot in Ross township. Price ... $1,200

Henry Dickson to W. W. Burchfield, July 30, 1874; forty lots in Dickson & Burchfield's plan, in Mifflin township. Consideration ... $1

W. W. Burchfield to Henry Dickson, July 30, 1874; thirty-nine lots in same plan as above. Consideration ... $1

Wm. L. McCormick et ux. to Elizabeth McCormick, August 1, 1874; lot in Allegheny (formerly Manchester borough), 24x63¾ feet, with buildings. Price ... $500

R. C. McConnell et ux. to Ralph Wintersgill, November 20, 1874; lot in Seventeenth ward, city, 30x100 feet, with buildings. Price ... $5,000

Thomas Shields and wife to Frederick Peckman, November 12, 1874; lot in Green Oak village, in Elizabeth township, containing 1½ acres and 3 square perches, with buildings. Price ... $1,300

Simon Gerstel and wife to Caroline Field, October 15, 1874; lot in city, late borough of East Birmingham, 24x120 feet, with buildings. Price ... $6,000

Peter Field and wife to Simon Gerstel, October 1, 1874; lot in late borough of East Birmingham, now in city, 24x120 feet. Price ... $6,000

German Fire Insurance Company of Pittsburgh to Caroline Woods, October 29, 1874; lots in Louis Keib's plan, Twenty-seventh ward, city; also, parts of three lots in same plan as above, 62x120 feet, with buildings. Price ... $6,500

Daniel McGurk et ux. et al. to John Quinter, June 9, 1874; two lots in McGurk's plan, in Twenty-first ward, city, 25x140 feet each. Price ... $1,300

Christian Nusser et ux. to John G. Blocher, July 23, 1874; two lots in Thirty-first ward, city, 50x100 feet, with buildings. Price ... $2,009

John S. Hall and wife to John Kirkpatrick, Aug. 3, 1874; lot in Tenth ward, Allegheny, in John S. Hall's plan. Price ... $800

Jeremiah Buckley and wife to Margaret Buckley, November 28, 1874; lot in Sharpsburg borough, 20x80 feet. Price ... $1,500

David W. Riggs et ux. et al. to John Hanlon, Aug. 4, 1873; lot in McKeesport borough, in David W. Riggs' et al. plan, with buildings. Price ... $325

Christian Gerst and wife to Frederick Rickert, November 16, 1874; undivided half of two irregular lots in Indiana township. Price ... $175

Clarence S. Morrow and Julien Morrow, Guardians to John Morrow, Nov. 2, 1874; certain annual rent of a lot on Smithfield street, city, 19x60 feet; also certain annual rent of one-half of a lot on Mary Reed's plan, on Penn avenue, 24x94 feet 1½ inches. Consideration ... $637

Quit claim deed from James R. Mellon et ux. to Grace Negley, Jan. 23, 1874; interest in a tract of land in Twentieth ward, city, containing 94¼ acres more or less, with certain restrictions. Price ... $5,675

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Register's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts of Executors, Administrators and Guardians have been duly passed in the Register's office, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court for confirmation and allowance on MONDAY, DECEMBER 7th, 1874:

No. 1. Final account of Charles Specht, Administrator of Bernard Specht, deceased. Filed Aug. 7, 1874.

No. 2. Account of Thomas L. Shields and David S. Wilson, Executors of Eliza Shields, deceased. Filed Aug. 8, 1874.

No. 3. Final account of Wm. Espy, Guardian of minor children of Thomas Espy, deceased. Filed Aug. 8, 1874.

No. 4. Final account of Sarah Mossy (formerly Scott), Guardian of minor children of David Scott, deceased. Filed Aug. 10, 1874.

No. 5. Final account of G. A. Felding and Joseph Erny, Executors of John Geo. Hilber, deceased. Filed Aug. 10, 1874.

No. 6. Final account of Thomas M. Bayne, Esq., Administrator of Hugh Roberts, deceased. Filed Aug. 11, 1874.

No. 7. Final account of Henry Waldschmidt, Administrator of George Baehr, deceased. Filed Aug. 12, 1874.

No. 8. Final account of E. G. Krehan, Guardian of the minor children of Henry Weigel, dec'd. Filed Aug. 15, 1874.

No. 9. Final account of Edward McCorkle, deceased, Guardian of the minor children of John Thompson, deceased; filed by Samuel Osbourne, Executor of Edward McCorkle, deceased. Filed Aug. 17, 1874.

No. 10. Partial account of J. H. Fowler, one of the Executors of John Coulter, deceased. Filed Aug. 20, 1874.

No. 11. Final account of Henry Glass and Saml. Riddle, Executors of Isaac Glass, deceased. Filed Aug. 20, 1874.

No. 12. Partial account of Joseph Coulter, one of the Executors of John Coulter, deceased. Filed Aug. 21, 1874.

No. 13. Final account of David McClelland, Guardian of Florence A. King. Filed Aug. 31, 1874.

No. 14. Final account of Martin McMahon, acting Executor of Hugh McMahon, deceased. Filed Sept. 1, 1874.

No. 15. Account of David E. Evans, Executor of the estate of Jane Jones, deceased. Filed Sept. 1, 1874.

No. 16. Final account of Frank Patterson, surviving Executor of the estate of Thomas Patterson, deceased. Filed Sept. 3, 1874.

No. 17. Final account of Mrs. Susan Walker and R. H. Knox, Executors of William Walker, dec'd. Filed Sept. 5, 1874.

No. 18. Final account of G. S. Bates, Guardian of Isabella K. Liggett. Filed Sept. 5, 1874.

No. 19. Final account of James Gilleland and Nancy M. Gilleland, executors of the estate of Robert McClinton, dec'd. Filed September 8, 1874.

No. 20. Final account of John Harrison, Executor of the estate of John Kuhn, dec'd. Filed Sept. 9, 1874.

No. 21. Final account of David McCargo, Executor of the estate of Isabella McCargo, dec'd. Filed September 11, 1874.

No. 22. Final account of Jacob Grim, Administrator of Jacob Herbold, dec'd. Filed September 12, 1874.

No. 23. Account of Caroline Magel, Administratrix of the estate of Philip Magel, dec'd. Filed September 14, 1874.

No. 24. Final account of Robert Gracy, Guardian of minor children of John Gracy, dec'd. Filed September 18, 1874.

No. 25. Final account of Lena Miller and Daniel Miller, Administrators of Henry Miller, dec'd. Filed September 24, 1874.

No. 26. Final account of James McClure, Administrator d. b. n. c. t. a. of Wm. L. McClure, dec'd. Filed September 25, 1874.

No. 27. Second and final account of Wm. K. Gillespie, Acting Administrator of John Belt, dec'd. Filed September 25, 1874.

No. 28. Final account of Robert Arthur, Guardian of John Fackiner, minor child of J. D. Fackiner, dec'd. Filed September 25, 1874.

No. 29. Final account of Joseph Dillon, Administrator of the estate of John Dillon, dec'd. Filed October 1, 1874.

No. 30. Final account of Cornelius Scully, Guardian of Martha Guthrie. Filed October 2, 1874.

No. 31. First account of Mrs. Jane Lutton, Jas. J. Lutton and Albert Lutton, Administrators cum testamento anexo of Benjamin Lutton, dec'd. Filed October 3, 1874.

No. 32. Final account of H. Childs, Guardian of Olivia V. Swartz (now Waite). Filed October 3, 1874.

No. 33. Final account of Mrs. Eliza McClintock, Guardian of Frank T. McClintock. Filed October 6, 1874.

No. 34. Final account of Rev. Henry Egler, Executor of George Bater, dec'd. Filed October 8, 1874.

No. 35. Final account of Wm. Hune, Executor of the estate of Catharine Hune, dec'd. Filed October 9, 1874.

No. 36. Account of Joshua Stevenson, Guardian of Abner McVay. Filed October 10, 1874.

No. 37. Account of James A. Russell, Administrator of James Kelley, dec'd. Filed October 10, 1874.

No. 38. Final account of John E. Shaffer and C. B. Warren, Executor of John Shrader, deceased. Filed October 14, 1874.

No. 39. First account of John Porterfield and George K. Stevenson, Executors of John I. Travelli, deceased. Filed Oct. 16th, 1874.

No. 40. Account of G. W. Coffin, Executor of the estate of Elizabeth Black, deceased. Filed Oct. 17th, 1874.

No. 41. Final account of J. J. Hermann, Guardian of Charles Hald. Filed Oct. 17th, 1874.

No. 42. Final account of John J. Hermann, Guardian of Mary Hald. Filed Oct. 17th, 1874.

No. 43. Final account of Wm. K. Hart, Administrator of the estate of Samuel Black, deceased. Filed Oct. 17th, 1874.

No. 44. Final account of Robert T. Lambie, Administrator of the estate of Wm. Lambie, deceased. Filed Oct. 19th, 1874.

No. 45. Final account of J. W. Patterson and Wm. McMasters, Executors of N. H. Clark, deceased. Filed Oct. 20th, 1874.

No. 46. First account of John A. Wilson, Administrator d. b. n. c. t. a. of Samuel McClean, Jr., deceased. Filed Oct. 21st, 1874.

No. 46. Final account of David E. Bayard and Adams Getty, Executors of Nancy Adams, deceased. Filed Oct. 21st, 1874.

No. 48. Final account of Adam Hess, Guardian of minor children of Wm. Hess, deceased. Filed Oct. 8th, 1874.

No. 49. Final account of Christina Allen, Administratrix of the estate of George Allen, deceased. Filed Oct. 23d, 1874.

No. 50. Final account of Frederick Schulter, Guardian of Bertha Struckmeyer. Filed October 24th, 1874.

No. 51. Final account of Thomas Bratt, Administrator of the estate of Martin M. Bratt, deceased. Filed Oct. 24th, 1874.

No. 52. Account of Margaret Luckert, Administratrix of the estate of John Luckert, deceased. Filed October 26th, 1874.

No. 53. Final account of Samuel L. Pedan, Administrator of John Hughes, deceased. Filed Oct. 27th, 1874.

No. 54. Account of Mary J. King, Administratrix of the estate of Samuel J. King, deceased. Filed Oct. 27th, 1874.

No. 55. Final account of Thomas Brown and Thomas Bartley, Administrators of the estate of William Dick, deceased. Filed Oct. 27th, 1874.

No. 56. Partial account of Hugh Kennedy, Administrator of Mary Kennedy, deceased. Filed Oct. 28th, 1874.

No. 57. Final account of George McWilliams, Guardian of Ella V. and Olivia G. McWilliams. Filed Oct. 28, 1874.

No. 59. Final account of John Boggs, Executor of the estate of Wm. B. Peebles, dec'd. Filed October 29, 1874.

No. 60. Final account of Joseph Daschbach, Administrator of the estate of Philip Helmlinger, deceased. Filed October 30, 1874.

No. 61. Final account of Margaretta Andrist, Administratrix of David Andrist, dec'd. Filed Oct. 30, 1874.

No. 62. Final account of J. H. White, Esq., Guardian of Annie M. Fletcher. Filed October 30, 1874.

No. 63. Third trust account of Thomas Mellon, one of the Executors of Barbara A. Negley, dec'd. Filed October 31, 1874.

No. 64. Account of George T. Comley, Administrator of the estate of John K. Wood, dec'd. Filed October 31, 1874.

No. 65. Final account of John Adams, dec'd, Administrator of Philip Banion, dec'd, filed by Jane Adams, Administratrix of John Adams, dec'd. Filed October 31, 1874.

No. 66. Second account of Charles Gilmore and Mary Curry, Administrators of James Curry, dec'd. Filed October 31, 1874.

No. 67. First and final account of John McKelvy and Dr. J. D. Schooley, Administrators of the estate of John Hanna, dec'd. Filed October 31, 1874.

No. 68. Final account of Wm. M. Gibson, Executor of the will of Robert E. Porter, dec'd. Filed October 31, 1874.

No. 69. Account of Robert E. Stewart, Esq., Executor of the estate of Ann Bell, deceased. Filed October 31, 1874.

No. 70. Final account of Mrs. Martha Cuthbert, Administratrix of William Cuthbert, deceased. Filed November 5, 1874.

No. 71. First account of Frederick Bohmer, Administrator of the estate John J. Kauf, deceased. Filed November 5, 1874.

No. 72. Final account of John Vanhorn, Guardian of John H. Vanhorn, minor son of James D. Vanhorn, deceased. Filed November 5, 1874.

No. 73. Account of John Mertz, Jr., Administrator of John Mertz, deceased. Filed November 5, 1874.

No. 74. Final account of Sarah Parker, deceased, Administrator of the estate of James F. Parker, deceased, filed by Thos. J. Jack, Esq., Administrator of the estate of Sarah Parker, deceased. Filed November 5, 1874.

No. 75. Final account of Thomas J. Jack, Esq., Administrator [illegible] of Sarah Parker, deceased. Filed November [illegible] 1874.

No. 76. Account of J. Chas. Dickens, Guardian of Chas. Moss and Mary Ellen M. Moss. Filed November 5, 1874.

No. 77. Account of J. W. Hall, Esq., Administrator of the Estate of Henry Raynor, deceased. Filed November 5, 1874.

No. 78. Account of Alexander Hilands, Administrator of the Estate of Thomas Dickson, deceased. Filed November 5, 1874.

No. 79. Account of Webster Morgan, Administrator of John Huston deceased. Filed November 6, 1874.

No. 80. Second account of John S. Hollingshead, Trustee to sell real estate of John Obey, deceased. Filed November 6, 1874.

No. 81. Account of Nathaniel Green, Administrator of Wm. M. Dunforth, deceased. Filed Nov. 6, 1874.

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